

Abbotsford, Sumas and Matsqui News

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Was Honored for Service to Royalty

Walter Reginald Baker, C.V.O., former secretary of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the last surviving member of the original traffic organization, of the line, died on April 1, at his home in Montreal. Mr. Baker entered the service of the C.P.R. two days after the organization of the company in 1881 and retired at his own request on January 1, 1917. He was in his 77th year.

During his thirty-five years' service with the C.P.R., Mr. Baker was assistant to the general superintendent, assistant to the president, assistant to the vice-president, and secretary. Previous to his association with the railway, he was private secretary and comptroller to Lord Dufferin, Governor-General, 1874-78.

Born in York, England, on May 25, 1852, Mr. Baker came to this country alone at the age of 13 years. The boy began to establish a career for himself early, and after passing through several stages of progress towards success, found himself, at the age of 22, private secretary of His Majesty's representative in the Dominion. Later he became attached to the Treasury Department and was assistant secretary of the Treasury Board at Ottawa just before the C.P.R. was organized.

In the historical organization of the railroad, Mr. Baker was one of the principal actors. Before he died, the former secretary put down on paper, as the last act of his life, the circumstances surrounding the beginnings of the great company's organization. The company was formed on February 15, 1881, and the organization meeting of the board of directors was held two days later. Charles Drinkwater was named secretary of the company, the first official to be appointed, according to the account of the historical event as related by Mr. Baker.

Mr. Baker's Story

Duncan McIntyre, later first vice-president of the company, was a member of the "Syndicate" which had planned the organization of the C.P.R. He had made a promise to Mr. Baker some time before that, if the "Canadian Pacific



Late W. R. Baker, C.V.O.

fic Railway venture" came to anything, he would "remember him." In his account of the matter, Mr. Baker recounts that "the matter had passed out of my mind" when on the night of February 18, 1881, he received a message from Mr. McIntyre. "I was busy late at night, in my office in the Eastern Block at Ottawa, preparing the estimates for Parliament, when a boy walked in with a telegram," Mr. Baker related.

Following the instructions contained in the message, Mr. Baker went to the "Bank cottage"—the little house attached to the Bank of Montreal for the use of members visiting Ottawa—and there met the little group of great builders of the great road.

There seated at a table were Donald Smith, later Lord Strathcona; George Stephen, later Lord Mount Stephen; R. B. Angus and Duncan McIntyre. The upshot of his interview with these historic figures was that he went to Winnipeg with A. B. Stickney, general superintendent of the C.P.R. western division, as accountant on construction, and auditor of operation. "The salary was 50 per cent. better than I was getting in the civil service," Mr. Baker explains

in his autobiographical account, "so, I said at once 'I will go wherever you want me to go.'"

On the way to Winnipeg there were short stops at Chicago and St. Paul, where Mr. Baker had an opportunity of looking into the American system of railway accounts. A special train took the party to Winnipeg. Those with Mr. Baker were: A. B. Stickney, general superintendent, William Harder, assistant traffic manager, Joel May, superintendent, and F. C. Butterfield, master mechanic. "This party was the original traffic organization of the Canadian Pacific Railway," Mr. Baker recorded. "Before we arrived at Winnipeg," he continued, "Mr. Stickney decided that he wanted me to act as his assistant and I was accordingly appointed to the position of assistant to the general superintendent."

Various Appointments

In Winnipeg, Mr. Baker held several positions successively in the C.P.R. He was purchasing agent, assistant to general manager, local treasurer, assistant to general superintendent, executive agent and filled several other positions. He was also connected with the Manitoba and North West Railway. In 1901 he left Winnipeg for Montreal. On that occasion he was presented with a solid silver service by the business community of the western city.

During his connection with the railway, Mr. Baker came into contact with several royal personages. He was in charge of the royal train over the C.P.R. lines during the several visits of the Prince and Princess of Wales, now the reigning monarchs; Prince Arthur of Connaught, and Prince Fushimi. In return for his services to these royal visitors he was presented with several testimonials and received several titles. Among his titles were: Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Commander of the Order of the Sacred Treasure of Japan, Esquire of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, and Freeman of the City of York.

He held audiences with Their Majesties King George and Queen Mary at Buckingham Palace in 1911.

ABBOTSFORD

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Delah, Abbotsford, in the M.S.A. Hospital, on April 14, a daughter.

Mr. W. J. Wells is receiving treatment in the Shaughnessy Military hospital, Vancouver.

Miss Bury and Miss Farquhar are taking positions in the Abbotsford egg-candling station. Miss Bury is closing her delicatessen.

Professor Chas. Hill-Tout, formerly of Abbotsford, has been elected president of the British Columbia Academy of Science.

Ratepayers of Abbotsford School District are called to a meeting dated for Friday evening, to discuss a proposal to organize a consolidated high school area, and merge with Sumas district.

Mr. Ware, of Abbotsford School staff will address the Men's Club next Monday.

John Anderson, 76, a resident of Abbotsford for many years, passed away in a Coast hospital on April 14, after an illness of several months. Deceased, who was a native of Sweden, was well known here.

Ladies of the Royal Purple order gave an enjoyable dance in Jubilee hall last Friday, attracting a good average attendance, and enabling the organization to show a small profit from the event.

Mr. Switzer has opened his new ice cream parlor in the Lee Block, and it is one of the coziest little places in the district. Everything is spic and span with party nooks, onyx tables, and tasty lighting and decorative effects. Mrs. A. Kelly is in charge.

Donald McEwen, another of Abbotsford's old-timers, passed away in Vancouver on Saturday in his 72nd year. He was born in Ontario, and resided in British Columbia for 48 years. Surviving are three sisters, one brother, and two nieces. The body is being shipped to Maxville, Ont. for interment.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Donnelly of Portland, Ore. spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrop. Mrs. Donnelly was formerly Miss Spandler of the local hospital staff.

Almost \$50 was cleared at the Girl Guide concert.

MATSQUI GIRL INJURED WHEN STRUCK IN EYE WITH BAT

While playing ball on Friday on the school ground, Miss Audrey Malles was accidentally struck in the eye with a bat, causing a dangerous hemorrhage which necessitated her taking hospital treatment in Abbotsford. Dr. McDiarmid has placed her in care of two specialists, and she is now in St. Paul's hospital. It is not thought that she will suffer permanent injury.

UNITED FARMERS LOCAL PROPOSED FOR THIS DISTRICT

Organization of a local of the United Farmers of Canada in this district is the objective of J. E. Armishaw, provincial organizer of the B. C. section, who has called a meeting of farmers hall. Fifteen locals, with a total charter membership of 400 have already been formed in British Columbia. Mr. Armishaw states, and it will be his effort to organize B.C. farmers into a body associated with the big prairie co-operative, embracing all departments of agricultural production.

Heavy advertising copy changes compel observation of firm closing rules with the News—Monday noon for inside pages and Tuesday noon for outside pages. Advertisers are requested to co-operate.

More than 500 tons of hay were shipped to Whatcom County from Sumas and Matsqui prairies last week, and more is in transit.

Layings Of 56,000 Hens To Be Canded Here

The egg product of over fifty-six thousand industrious and efficient birds will start to roll into Abbotsford next week for grading and shipping to Eastern markets as part of the first consignments from members of the Egg and Poultry Pool in the Abbotsford, Aldergrove, Mission and Chilliwack districts. A commodious warehouse, adjoining Buckersfield, Ltd., and erected by that firm for renting at a nominal amount to egg producers—is nearing completion, and next week a staff of five persons will be busy receiving, candling, and grading the egg deliveries.

Establishment of one of the three egg stations of the Pool in Abbotsford will bring a decided business impetus, trucking activity, and flow of money, into the town. Initial payment is to be made at the station here of 17 cents a dozen, payment of the balance to be made at stated intervals after marketing returns are in. Mr. Gleason, of Vancouver, is to be manager here, and his staff will consist of an assistant and four candlers. Present shipments are expected to aggregate one carload a week. Registered office of the Pool is at Regina.

Among advantages of establishment of a station here are de-centralization of operations from the city, and elimination of losses caused by breaking-down of the egg "whites" by truck transportation from Valley points to the Coast, and quicker shipments, ensuring fresh eggs at market prices.

MAY PROVIDE KILGARD WITH DIRECT OUTLET TO INTER-PROVINCIAL HIGHWAY

Direct access by road from Kilgard to the Cole road may result from negotiations between Sumas Council and the Public Works Department, wherein the latter may construct a bridge across Sumas creek, and the Council prepare 100 yards of road to provide a connection with the new strip of the inter-provincial highway under construction.

SUMAS RECLAMATION TAX NOTICES ISSUED

Sumas landowners have received their tax notices for the reclamation assessments, and although there are minor details to adjust, most of the farmers are satisfied. Taxes on land in Classes B and C are \$50 an acre (capital charges), in D, E, F, G, \$30 an acre, and H, \$20. Maintenance tax is \$1.13 an acre for all levels.

Elderly Sumas Resident Dies

Thomas Hunter, 68, well-known resident of Sumas Prairie, where he has lived with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hunter, for the past two years, passed away suddenly in the M.S.A. Hospital yesterday. Mr. Hunter had been ailing for some months, but his death was a surprise. He is survived by five children, three daughters Mrs. F. Walmsley, Kamloops, Mrs. N. Hanna, Nicola, Miss Edna Hunter, Nicola, and two sons, William, at Nicola, and Jack, Sumas Prairie. His wife died 22 years ago. Deceased was born in Ganouque, Ontario.

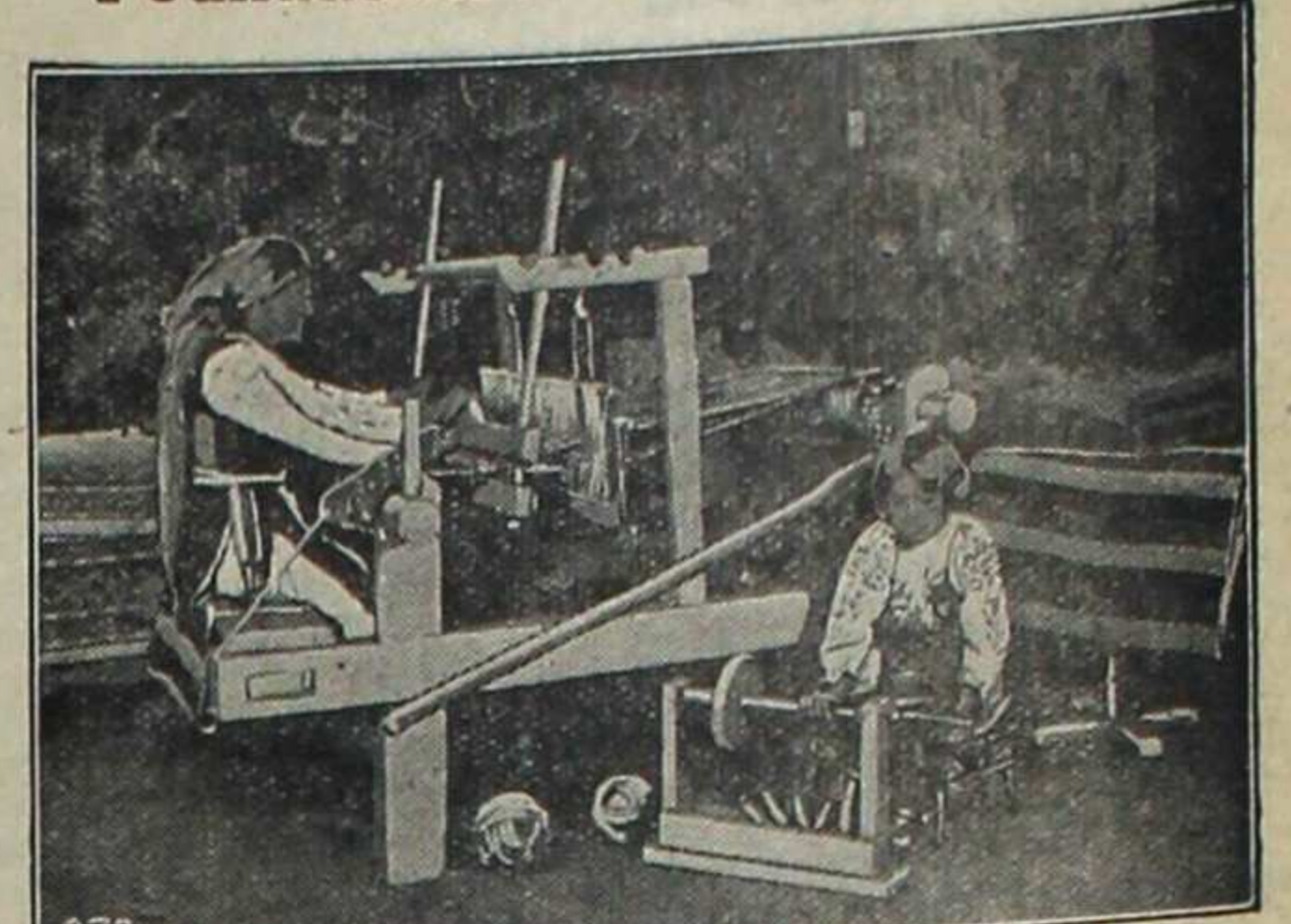
The body is being shipped to Nicola for burial.

Abernethy & Loughheed, Ltd. have taken an option at the price of \$15,000 upon the Campbell River Logging company's limits along the Chilliwack river.

Mrs. Fisher of Vancouver visited relatives here recently.

MUSIC LESSONS PIANO-VIOLIN At pupils' residences MRS. M. MORLEY R.R. 1, Abbotsford Telephone 91R

Foundation of National Culture



Two new Canadians from Roumania demonstrate the art of weaving at Regina.

Those who have in the past regarded the New Canadians from Europe as hewers of wood and drawers of water must, after the recent demonstrations at the Great West Festival at Regina, admit that these peoples have, with their native arts, decidedly enhanced the cultural way, even goes so far as to say that Saskatchewan and the other prairie provinces have within their borders the foundation of a National culture finer than that of any other nation on earth. To this foundation, the first sod for which had been turned at the previous festival at Winnipeg, all the races which go to make up the peoples of the west have contributed—Icelanders and Irish with their folk-songs and lore, Swedes and buted—Finnish and their folk-crafts and dances. Hardly a race known to Slavs alike with their folk-crafts and dances. The festival some artistry civilization, old or new, but contributed to the festival some artistry, which will make for the further development of that culture which, being national, will be the means of welding to a still greater solidarity, those people who are Canada.

That the movement for the attainment of this end is a popular one was demonstrated by the fact that literally thousands were unable to obtain admission to the exhibits and concerts and that western duties are vying with one another as the site of the next festival.

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Sumas to Everett \$2.60; return \$4.50
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Through Tickets. Direct Connections
Stage leaves Sumas for Bellingham Daily at 8:50 a.m., 11:30, 2:30 p.m., 5:45 and on Sunday 6:30 p.m. Leaves Bellingham at 7:30 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 4:00 and 6:00 on Sunday at 8:30 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 5:00 and 10:30. Direct Connection with Huntingdon Trains.

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All notices of events given for a profit are regarded as advertising.

"Provincial Elections Act"
Chilliwack Electoral District

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall on Tuesday, the 21st. day of May, 1929, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Provincial Police Office, Abbotsford, hold a sitting of an Adjourned Court of Revision, for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said electoral district, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for the registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the Provincial Elections Act.

Dated at Abbotsford this 17th. day of April, 1929.

JOS. SCOTT,
Registrar of Voters.
Chilliwack Electoral District.

10 ACRES, with 4-room house, about 2 acres cleared; near Abbotsford, for \$700 cash. Apply A. McCALLUM.

More than 500 tons of hay were shipped to Whatcom County from Sumas and Matsqui prairies last week, and more is in transit.

Youth Develops Air Mindedness



Though the D. H. Moth is one of the smallest aeroplanes made, it almost qualifies for the role of "Dignity" when compared with the small indoor model aeroplane in the hand of Jack Loughnar, American model aeroplane champion, who with three of the other boys in the picture won a trip to Europe from the "American Boy" Magazine, on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montcalm." While in England the boys took part in competitions with British model aeroplane builders and one of them, Fort Grant, Michigan state champion, won a prize offered by E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific, at a contest which took place at the famous Croydon Aerodrome, where the above picture was taken.

Corporat on of the District of Sumas PUBLIC NOTICE

The following license fees and taxes are now due and payable to the Corporation of the District of Sumas—

Poll and Ro d Ta Trades License Fees Dog Tax

Parties owning dogs are hereby warned to procure tags and to keep said dogs from running at large, as considerable damage to sheep by dogs running at large has been reported recently.

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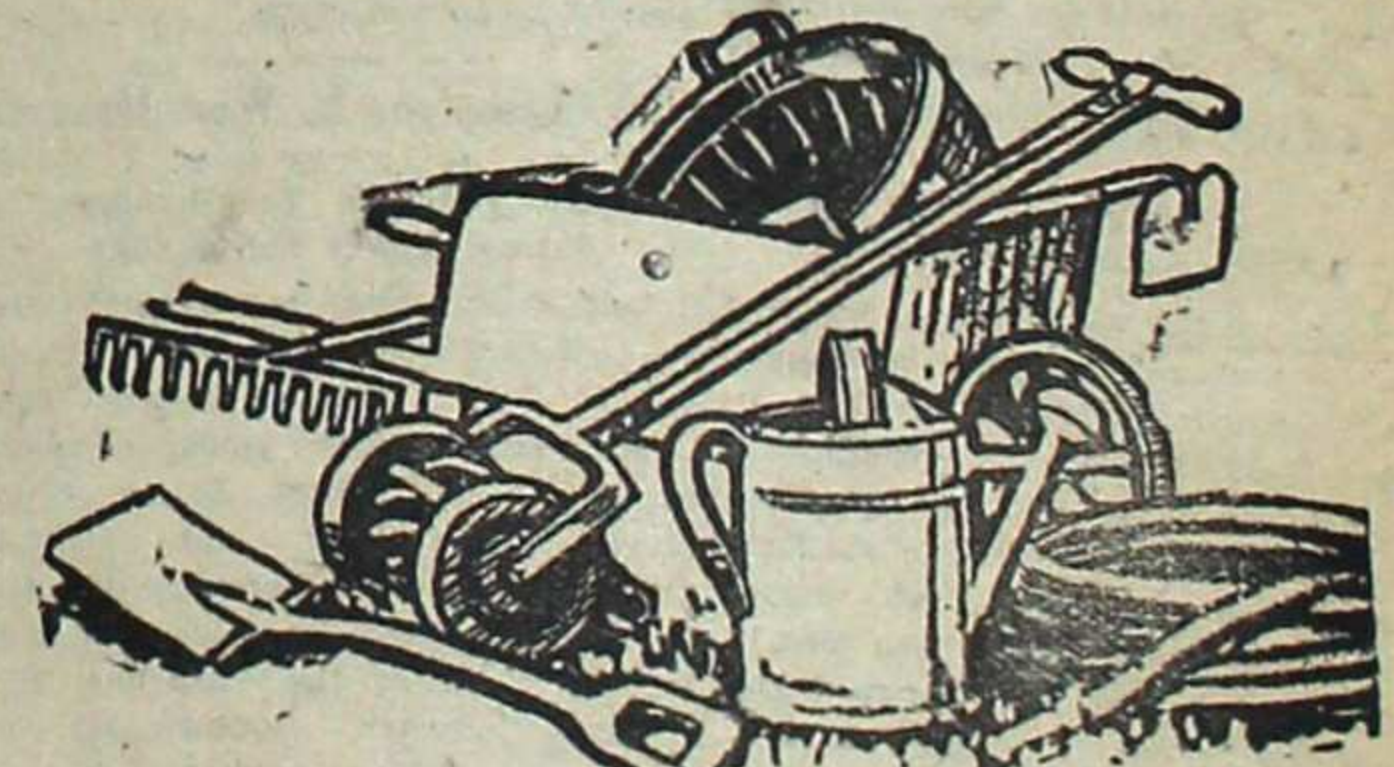


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VISIT The Beauty Shop (Annex Jubilee Barber Shop) NORAH BELL, at your service Phone 39 for appointment.

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Well, we can't truthfully say, in the customary way, that "large crowds were turned away" because we did not get possession of our store, as announced two weeks ago. Some eyebrows were lifted, but the fault was not ours, but our doors will positively be OPEN FOR BUSINESS ON SATURDAY, when we invite you, one and all, to call and get acquainted.



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Large Bow Steel Rakes \$1.29
L. H. Spading Forks \$2.19
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The Evil Of Grain Mixing

Following the unsatisfactory result of grading the 1928 wheat crop of Western Canada, a veritable deluge of protest and complaint has poured in to Dominion and Provincial Governments, Wheat Pools, Grain Commission, Grain Exchange, and all farmer organizations. Merchants and business men generally, suffering because the farmers have suffered, add their protests. In all this volume of criticism perhaps no one feature has called forth more vigorous objection than has the practice of mixing.

It is quite true that everybody does not see eye to eye on this subject, and farmers themselves are sharply divided on the issue whether or not mixing should be absolutely prohibited and made an offence under the law. While many favor such a policy, others hold the opinion that if mixing was entirely disallowed there would be a terrible glut of low grade and no grade grain on the market, with resulting enormous loss to producers.

The Saskatchewan Grain Inquiry Commission has gathered within its own province a mass of evidence on this and allied subjects affecting the grading and marketing of Western grain, and proposes to carry its investigations further afield in Manitoba, Alberta, British Columbia, and Europe, in what is recognized as the most determined attempt yet made to find solutions to some of the acute problems confronting the Western grain grower. In due time the report and recommendations of that Commission will be laid before the legislative authorities.

There is, however, another form of mixing in regard to which there are no two opinions. It is unanimously denounced as an evil, and one that is costing the farmers of Western Canada many millions of dollars annually. Furthermore, control in the case of this particular form of mixing rests, not with Governments or Wheat Pools, or Grain Commissions, but with the individual grain grower.

The form of mixing to which reference is made is that indulged in by so many farmers of sowing seed of mixed varieties. Instead of sowing only pure seed of one good variety, the seed too frequently used is a mixture of different varieties, white wheats mixed with red wheats, with consequent loss in value of the crop harvested. Thus the original mixing takes place, not in country or terminal elevators, not on board ship, not in the world markets, but right on the farms of Western Canada.

Investigation over a number of years has established the fact that certain varieties are best adapted to certain districts. This information is available to every farmer. It is his for the asking from his nearest Experimental Farm. He should secure this information and then sow the variety which grows best in his district. He may not be able to afford to purchase sufficient pure, registered seed of that particular variety to seed his entire acreage this year, but he should get a few bushels of such pure, registered seed, sow it in a prepared plot, and thus increase his seed supply on his own farm.

The frosts of last Fall make it necessary that all seed sown this spring be first tested for its germinating qualities. Strong germination is necessary in wheat, oats, barley and flax. Strong plants having healthy vigorous roots withstand adverse conditions such as spring frosts, insects, disease, better than weak plants. Farmers will be well advised, therefore, to send samples of their seed grain to their nearest Dominion Seed Laboratory and have it tested.

There is still another form of mixing on the farm which is even more disastrous, that is the mixing of weed seeds with the grain through the use of impure and not properly cleaned seed. Governments and railways combine to run special seed cleaning machinery demonstration trains through the country. Governments build seed cleaning plants. Nevertheless, tons of weed seeds are sown annually, as well as mixed varieties of grain, as was definitely proven by the seed drill survey conducted in Saskatchewan a couple of years ago.

Western Canada farmers must begin at the beginning in dealing with this mixing evil. First, it is essential that all seed sown be of one good variety, thoroughly cleaned, with all weed seeds eliminated, and tested to demonstrate its germinating qualities. With the groundwork thus laid for the production of clean, high grade grain, necessary further steps can and should be taken to preserve the identity, grade and standard of that grain all the way from the farm to the ultimate world market.

Chinese Population In Canada

Number Of Chinese Resident In Dominion Is Given As 55,706

According to reports tabled in the House of Commons, three Chinese immigrants are admitted to Canada during the fiscal year 1927-28, two of whom were women. Two students coming to attend Canadian universities were admitted as non-immigrants. Eleven Chinese were deported during the year.

The registration carried on during 1923-24 shows a Chinese population in Canada of approximately 55,706. Of this number, 48,205 were males, 1,302 females, and 6,099 children under 18 years of age. Of the total, British Columbia had 31,116 Chinese residents.

The number of Japanese entering Canada in 1927 was 511, and in 1928, 535. Of the total for two years, 273 were adult males, 557 adult females, and 216 children under 18 years of age.

Echoes From Space

Light on the wandering of wireless waves through the ether is claimed by Professor Stoermer, of Oslo, to have been thrown by experiments undertaken in conjunction by Norwegian and Dutch wireless stations. The professor states that echoes from these waves have been clearly distinguished. He puts forward the view that the waves are thrown back to earth when they reach a point in space far beyond the moon.

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Licensing Of New Varieties

No New Variety Of Cereal Grain May Be Marketed Until License Granted

According to the Canada Seeds Act, no new variety of cereal grain may be put on the market in Canada until a license has been granted by the federal minister of agriculture. The granting of these licenses depends upon the results of actual growing tests made and reported upon by persons named under the resolutions. According to the present Act, as recently revised, the variety for which a license is being asked must not only prove that it is new and distinctly different from existing varieties and that the name suggested has not been used previously for any other variety, but that it possesses merit sufficient to justify its introduction.

Girl Champions In West Honored

Banquet Tendered To Members Of Prince Albert Swine Club

Unique in the history of the Agricultural Society, of Prince Albert, Sask., was the banquet tendered recently, to the young members of the Prince Albert Swine Club. Misses Alice Fear, and Kathryn Coyer, winners at Toronto, of the trophy presented by Vice-President W. D. Robb, of the Canadian National Railways, emblematic of Dominion "championship" among swine clubs of Canada in the annual judging and demonstration contests. Mayor Banion, of Prince Albert, presented each of the girls with a wrist watch on behalf of the agricultural society.

Reduce Aviation Expenditures

British Government Decides To Lessen Appropriation For This Year

British estimates for government aviation expenditures during 1929, presented to the House of Commons by Sir Samuel Hoare, air secretary, total \$81,000,000. This is a decrease of about \$250,000.

In connection with the estimates, Sir Samuel said the new airships, the R-100 and the R-101, should be completed early in the financial year.

"The two airships should begin the trials in the spring and I hope to see the flights to overseas bases, such as Montreal and Karachi, achieved during the year," Sir Samuel added.

Cutting Corns With Razor Leads To Lock-Jaw

Don't cut corns with an old razor blade. Infection, followed often by death may result from paring corns with an infected razor. Quick, safe relief comes from using PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR. It afflicted with corns, callouses or sore foot-lumps, use "PUTNAM'S"—it's reliable, and sure to shrivel up the corns so they drop right off. No pain, no soreness, but quick relief from sore corns comes to all who use PUTNAM'S PAINLESS CORN EXTRACTOR. 25c. at all dealers.

Alberta Dairy Products

Exceeded In Value Twenty Million Dollars For 1928 Season

Alberta's dairy products for 1928 exceeded in value \$20,000,000, which represented 8.3 per cent. of total agricultural production, Dr. C. P. Marker, dairy commissioner, told delegates at the recent dairymen's convention in Edmonton. There was a marked improvement in the grade of cream supplied by producers and in the quality of creamery produced, he declared.

SPARKLING EYES AND ROSY CHEEKS

The Birthright Of Every Girl With Rich, Red Blood In Her Veins

The dull eye that goes with bloodlessness is a sure sign of misery and weakness. Anaemic—that is bloodless—girls and women have dull, heavy eyes with dark lines underneath. But this is not all. Anaemia works havoc all through the system; girls grow painfully weak and irritable; they are breathless and incapable of much exertion, while older women who are anaemic complain of being "never really well."

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If your dealer does not keep these pills you can get them by mail at 50c a box from 'The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Alberta Salt Well

Drilling Operations At Waterways Meets With Success

According to a report tabled in the Alberta Legislature, successful operations have been carried out at Waterways in connection with salt drilling. The work was started in 1927, but it was not until October 22nd, 1928, that the salt formation was encountered, at a depth of 670 feet, and the presence of a body of salt 213 feet thick was encountered. The analysis of the brine solution showed that the salt was 99 per cent. pure.

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Start Construction Of Ocean "Landing Field"

First Floating Airport To Be Anchored Half Way Between New York and Bermuda

Construction of the first floating airport of several that have been planned for trans-Atlantic airplane service will be begun immediately, according to an announcement by Henry J. Glelow, Inc., naval architects. It is to be anchored about 300 miles at sea, half way between New York and Bermuda.

The airport is to be a steel platform, 1,200 feet long, 400 feet wide, and riding normally at least 100 feet above the surface of the ocean. It is to be manned by a crew of forty-three men and will contain a machine shop, hotel and restaurant, and radio beacon to guide planes at night.

To hold this floating island in place there will be chains 21,150 feet long attached to specially designed sea anchors. Six thousand tons of steel and 2,000 tons of iron will go into its construction and its cost is estimated at \$1,500,000. The Glelow concern has been retained as consulting engineers by the builders, the Armstrong Seadrome Development Company of Wilmington, Del.

It is understood that Mr. Armstrong expects the island to be in place by summer. "Experimental flights then will be made between the mainland and Bermuda, using the seadrome as a stopping place. If these experiments are successful, the construction of other floats for trans-Atlantic service will be pushed as quickly as possible."

The Armstrong company already has conducted tests with large Sikorsky amphibians on areas similar to that of the seadrome, and needs only 65 per cent. of the available space. By scale model tests the company has convinced naval engineers that the seadromes will ride any waves up to 180 feet in height with practically no motion. Eight of these islands are contemplated, it is said, in a chain to Europe by way of the Azores. Planes then would be able to leave New York at 6 o'clock in the morning and arrive at Plymouth, England, at 4.30 o'clock the following afternoon.

Kaiser Cost Germany Millions Every Year

Abdication Has Saved Country Large Sum In Salaries

It has been figured that Germany in the last 10 years has saved \$125,000,000 in salaries to the former royal rulers of the empire. Before the war the Kaiser cost Germany \$5,264,000 a year. Then came three kings—of Bavaria, Saxony and Wurttemberg—and seven grand dukes, who cost Germany more than \$5,000,000. Besides these royal "appointments" the other expenses of the imperial system brought the annual expenditures up to \$12,500,000. Of course there had to be big armies and generally increased cost of royal show under the royal government but this further cost could hardly be estimated.

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Propose Second Arctic Trip

Aviators Anxious To Reach Europe By Greenland Route

A letter has been received in Cochrane, Ontario, from Bert Hassells and his partner, Crammer, stating that it is their intention to make another attempt this year to establish an aerial mail route from Chicago to Stockholm, Sweden, via Greenland. These are from Rockford, Ill., fliers who made an unsuccessful attempt to reach Europe by a northern route last year, the attempt ending when they were forced to make a landing at Greenland. This year, according to the fliers, they will attempt the trip in 500-mile relays, with refuelling stations at Sault Ste. Marie, Cochrane and two located at intervals between Cochrane and Greenland. They have asked that the runway which they made use of last year in taking off from Cochrane be kept open in preparation for a start this spring.

PARENTS UNDERSTOOD THIS BABY'S LANGUAGE

"We thought we were going to lose our baby, teething," says a Kentucky mother. "He couldn't digest anything and was getting thinner every day. After one of his fretful, crying nights, I thought of Castoria and got some. A few drops made him comfortable, and after a few doses, he seemed like a different baby." Doctors everywhere recommend purely vegetable, harmless Fletcher's Castoria for colics, constipation, colic and other ills of babies and children, and millions of mothers know its gentle action is best. Avoid imitations. The Fletcher signature is the mark of genuine Castoria.

British Harvesters Anxious To Return

1,500 Men Who Returned To England, Now Anxious To Come To Canada

W. C. Osmond, official observer of the British harvester movement for the British Government, who has been in Canada for some months, has returned to the old land. At a luncheon given in his honor at Winnipeg, Mr. Osmond announced that information he had received from the Imperial Government was that some 1,500 of the British harvesters who had returned from Canada, were anxious to make arrangements to come out again to this country to become settled. A plan is now announced in Britain for assisting these men to return, by having them qualify for a low fare by undergoing a four weeks' course in clearing land and handling horses. Only those harvesters who stayed in Canada for a reasonable length of time will be accepted.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

ORANGE BREAD

- 1 yeast cake.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup lukewarm water.
- 1 egg.
- 1 tablespoon melted butter.
- 1 tablespoon melted lard.
- 1 teaspoon salt.
- 2 tablespoons sugar.
- Grated rind 2 oranges.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup orange juice.
- 3 cups flour.

Dissolve yeast in warm water; add egg well beaten, butter, lard, salt, sugar, grated orange rind, orange juice, and flour. Beat until smooth, adding more flour, if necessary; knead until smooth and elastic; let rise till double its bulk; shape in double loaf; put in breadpan; let rise again to double its bulk, and bake one hour in a moderate oven. This bread is delicious with orange marmalade for afternoon tea.

CARROT PUDDING

- $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour.
- 1 cup brown sugar.
- 1 cup grated carrots.
- 1 cup grated potatoes.
- 1 cup raisins.
- 1 cup currants.
- 1 cup finely chopped suet.
- 1 teaspoon soda.
- 1 teaspoon molasses.
- A little nutmeg.

Dredge fruit with some of the flour and scald soda before adding. Mix well and steam three hours.

Cause of Asthma. No one can say with certainty exactly what causes the establishing of asthmatic conditions. Dust from the street, from flowers, from grain and various other irritants may set up a trouble impossible to irradiate except through a sure preparation such as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Uncertainty may exist as to cause, but there can be no uncertainty regarding a remedy which has freed a generation of asthmatic victims from this scourge of the bronchial tubes. It is sold everywhere.

Westerners Win Debate

The Western Canada Universities debating team, supporting the affirmative of the resolution "That this house is opposed to all forms of censorship," was given the decision over debaters from Dalhousie University, at Halifax, recently.

A cast off railroad locomotive with its wheels removed, heats a Norwich, Connecticut passenger station. It performs efficiently, supplying heat to the train shed, station and cars in the yard as required.

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Where Canadians Have Advantage

Broadening Influence Living Under Inspiration Of British Traditions and Close To Great Republic

Some United States college men, crossing the Atlantic some years ago with the writer of this article, said that they could "never get a laugh out of Punch." The writer replied that as a Canadian he had an advantage over them, because every week he was able to enjoy the good things in both Punch and Life—in other words because he possessed the capacity for appreciating both the English and the American types of humor.

It follows that there must be something broadening in the circumstance that Canadians live under the inspiration of British traditions, and are at the same time next door neighbors to the people of the great Republic. This sentiment may savor of presumptuous sin, against which the Psalmist prayed that he might be safeguarded, but one may feel that the Canadian Parliament would possess too keen a sense of humor to pass one after the other in rapid succession the Kellogg Peace Pact, abolishing war as an instrument of national policy, and the Cruiser Bill, providing for the immediate expenditure of \$274,000,000, for sixteen powerful new warships.—Ottawa Journal.

Travelling Libraries

During the year 1928, books to the number of 59,499, in 1,138 travelling libraries, were sent by the Saskatchewan Government to rural districts and small villages throughout the province. The average circulation of each book was 10. The expenditure to maintain this service was \$22,000.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

Better To Keep Busy

Brooding over trouble is like surrounding oneself with a fog; it magnifies all objects seen through it. Occupation of the mind prevents this. Any hard work, manual work even, gives the mind other matters of concern, and also tires the body so as to ensure sleep.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Remover, which is entirely safe to use, and certain and satisfactory in its action.

A recent overcrowding census taken in Hackney, London, England, disclosed one case of nine persons living in one room, while 25,850 lived more than two in a room.

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Neither pretty pictures nor colorful adjectives will dye a dress or coat. It takes real dyes to do the work; dyes made from true anilines. Next time you have dyeing to do, try Diamond Dyes. See how easy it is to use them. Then compare the results. Your dealer will refund your money if you don't agree they are better dyes.

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Largest Single Item In The Dominion's National Wealth Is That Of Agriculture

The aggregate national wealth of Canada for the year 1926, was \$26,681,482,000, says a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This figure is exclusive of undeveloped natural resources. Similar estimates placed the total wealth for 1925, at \$25,673,174,000, and for 1921, at \$22,195,000,000, "though these figures are not exactly comparable in view of certain improvements and additions made in the method of estimation," the report points out. The figures, however, can be taken to indicate an increase of about \$500,000,000 for the twelve months under review over the previous like period, and approaching an advance of \$3,500,000,000 in the five years 1921-26, the report continues.

The largest single item in the Dominion's national wealth for 1926, was that for agriculture, which reached a total of \$7,817,718,000, or 29.28 per cent. of the entire amount. This figure includes the value of agricultural production for the year.

The second largest element was urban real property, which reached a figure of \$7,081,375,000; the tangible value of the forests was \$1,866,613,000.

As regards the provincial distribution of wealth, Ontario ranked first, with estimated aggregate wealth of \$9,130,189,000, or 34.2 per cent. of the total, and Quebec second, with estimated wealth of \$6,656,108,000. The western provinces came first in per capita wealth, however; British Columbia held first rank with a per capita wealth of \$3,844; Alberta second, with \$3,608; Saskatchewan, third, with \$3,559; and Manitoba fourth, with \$2,957. These figures may be compared with \$2,902 and \$2,598, the per capita wealth of Ontario and Quebec, respectively, and \$2,842, the per capita wealth for the whole Dominion.

By provinces, the estimated wealth was:

Prince Edward Island, \$145,745,000; Nova Scotia, \$835,748,000; New Brunswick, \$723,592,000; Quebec, \$6,656,108,000; Ontario, \$9,130,189,000; Manitoba, \$1,889,606,000; Saskatchewan, \$2,920,739,000; Alberta, \$2,192,067,000; British Columbia, \$2,185,210,000; Yukon, \$12,478,000.

Just Ordinary Business

Certified Cheque For Large Amount Nothing To Office Boy

Engineering a very special matter of business involving the handing over of a hundred thousand dollars, a lawyer decided that a certified cheque would be as satisfactory as actual cash, and safer. He therefore drew his cheque to this amount made payable to "Bearer." He took it to the bank and spent most of an hour with an official arranging for the safe delivery of the paper to his office, for, as soon as the bank certifies a cheque to "Bearer" it is cashable by anybody, anywhere. It was arranged that the cheque was to be sent by a clerk, accompanied by an armed guard. The gentleman, relieved by the precautions mapped out, went to lunch. When he returned to his desk the office boy looked up. "A couple of fellows brought a cheque for a hundred grand for you a while ago," he announced. "I put it in the basket with the rest of the incoming stuff."

Object Had Vanished

The class had been told to bring things to school for drawing lesson, and just as the lesson was about to begin, a small boy was found standing tearfully at his teacher's desk.

"I've swallowed my object," he explained.

"What was it?" asked the teacher anxiously.

"A banana," replied the would-be artist.

Astronomer (to his wife): "My dear, congratulate me. I've discovered a star of hitherto unheard-of density, and I'm going to name it after you."

Products produced from the forests of Canada have an annual value of about \$475,000,000, of which approximately \$150,000,000 is distributed for labour, equipment and supplies.



Teacher: "Can any of you tell me an old saying that is now out of date?"

Moses: "Yes, sir: 'Honesty is the best policy.'"—Humoristickie Listy, Prague.

Range Investigations

To Determine Cause For Depletion Of Pasture Crops

Range lands pastured on from year to year apparently suffer by a depletion of certain of the valuable plants. A survey of many ranges in Southern Saskatchewan and Alberta, by officials of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, revealed an acute shortage of pasture crop. Many of the ranchers were forced to reduce their stock. The shortage of feed was felt most during winter months and more than 90 per cent. of the stock men found it necessary to cultivate some of their land for the growing of forage crops to supplement the native forage. Realizing that something should be done to place the ranching industry on a more permanent and secure basis, the forage crops and field husbandry divisions of the experimental farms have undertaken a programme of work that gives promise of very useful results. An experimental ranch, fairly representative of the large range area, has been established near the town of Manyberries, in Southeastern Alberta. In his report for 1927, published by the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Dr. G. P. MacRostie, the Dominion Agrostologist, announces that it is intended to put into practice different grazing methods including that known as deferred and rotation grazing. The grazing practices regarded as most desirable are those that combine maximum utilization with the maintenance of a vigorous vegetative cover of the climax types. The work is only commencing, but very hopeful results are expected from the range projects that are being undertaken.

Mistreating the Heart

Few People Pay Attention To Warning Of Trouble

Take care of your heart. You have only one. You give it a huge amount of work to do and it does it without telling you how you are mistreating it. But when it does rebel and tells you, pay attention to the warnings.

These are some of the evidences of a worn-out heart: You are short of breath on exertion that had not previously produced distress. You may notice that your shoes are tight in the evenings, but that you have no difficulty in putting them on the next morning. Then one day you take cold; the next day you are short of breath, you have a distressed cough and your feet are swollen. As soon as the symptoms are relieved the average person wants to get up rather than to go about slowly and gradually getting back to his usual activity. It would not be unmitigated bad fortune for a person with a bad heart to have a broken leg too.

Fertilizing the Strawberry Bed

Fertilizers Should Be Applied In The Fall For Best Results

While fertilizing the strawberry bed in the spring may increase the size of the fruit it does not increase the number of fruit buds in the plants. Investigations carried on by M. B. Davis and H. Hill, of the horticultural division of the experimental farms, lead to the conclusion that to increase the fruit buds, fertilizing of the patch requires to be done in the fall of the year. An account of the work published in Bulletin No. 110, of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, shows that the highest yields of fruit were secured when the fertilizer was applied on September 15th, of the first fruiting year. These dates, it was learned, are quite close to the beginning of fruit bud differentiation as determined by microscopical studies carried on with the young plants.

Maintenance Of Roads

Much Time and Attention Devoted To Protection Of Roadways

Well-constructed highways are necessary in Canada to meet the insistent demands of traffic, but well-maintained roads are even of more importance in the interest of economy. Consequently, provincial road administrative organs and engineers are devoting a great deal of thought and attention to the care and protection of roads. In 1927 the mileage of roads under maintenance in Canada under the patrol or gang system was 44,416 miles, at a cost of \$16,024,617.

U.S. Destroyers To Visit B.C.

The United States Government proposes to send six destroyers to visit British Columbia ports during the summer of 1929. Three of these vessels will be at Victoria, and three at Vancouver from July 11 to July 15. Announcement to this effect was made by Hon. J. L. Ralston, minister of national defence.

Where Bogs Are Bogs

The Irish bogs are almost as great in extent as those of Germany. While the latter are from 9 feet to 20 feet deep, the Irish variety often reaches 40 feet. It has been calculated that each acre of bog contains 18,231 tons of peatstuff.

Some Of Earliest Toys Were Horrible

Worst Type Made In Germany In Eighteenth Century

Toys of a very early date are rare: the earliest known mechanical toy is Egyptian, dating back to about 2,000 B.C. It is a crude little figure with jointed arms and legs, which kneads dough on a sloping board, when a string is pulled. This is the oldest known example of a form of toy which in all ages has been the delight of children.

The most horrible type of toy was one made in Germany as late as the 18th century. It consisted of a comic figure inside which a real bird was confined. The bird's desperate struggles made the figure move as though it had been alive.

Another grim toy was a dreadfully realistic guillotine, of the date of the French revolution, 3ft. 7in. high, with which it was possible to behead aristocratic dolls.

Goethe wanted one of these guillotine toys for his son August. The poet's mother replied:

"To buy such an infamous implement of murder—that I will not do at any price. If I had authority the maker should be put in the stocks and I would have the machine publicly burnt."

An interesting Egyptian toy is a wooden crocodile with movable jaws, dating back to 1,100 B.C. It has quite respectable teeth.

In more modern times one of the quaintest toys reproduced is a wooden effigy of William Tell, who shoots the apple off his son's head by hitting a wooden tree under which the son stands. This is as recent as the beginning of the 19th century.

No Noah's Arks, curiously enough, appear among the toys, presumably because all the old ones have perished. It is a type of plaything which has been popular with children for centuries, and it is not likely to be displaced in favor by the latest theories that Noah was a myth and the Ark an impossibility.

Among illustrations given of dolls' houses and the like, many are extraordinarily elaborate and costly. One ordered by Peter the Great, for example, exceeded in cost the price of £2,000 for which he had stipulated, and he refused to take it.

Chinese Make Farm

Implements From Trees

Branched Sticks From Willows Make Excellent Pitchforks

Strange as it may seem, pitchforks grew on trees, according to P. H. Dorsett, who has been exploring in China in the hope of finding plants suitable for introduction by the Department of Agriculture into the United States.

Near a village about fifty miles southwest of Peking, long hedgerows of willows are grown for the special purpose of making farm implements. A few of the shoots from each are allowed to reach a height of six or eight feet, at which they usually produce branches on opposite sides. The branches with the main shoot, form what is roughly a three-tined form or trident.

"The making of these branched sticks into harvest forks," says Mr. Dorsett, "is a more or less simple operation. The bark is stripped from the stem and branches.

"After the forks have been steamed for an hour or two the branches can be bent without breaking. The forks are placed in a rough forming frame and the branches are spaced to form the tines and to give them the proper shape. The tines are held in the frame about six weeks, then they are dried and stored. When they are wanted for market, the tines are pointed and the handles smoothed for use."

Rush For Homesteads

Hundreds Of Homesteads Taken Up In Three Prairie Provinces This Year

From the point of view of new homesteads taken up, the year 1929 has got off to a good start. January saw 761 homesteads filed upon, as compared with 457 for the same month last year—an increase, roughly, of two-thirds in favor of the present year. Alberta led the list with 386, as compared with 201 for January, 1928; Saskatchewan followed with 309 as against 194; Manitoba came next with 42 against 51, and British Columbia last with 24 against 11.

C.N.R. Prizes Won By Alberta Men

Prizes of \$50 each are awarded each year by the Department of Agriculture of the C.N.R. to the two men from Western Canada winning the highest awards in timothy seed and alfalfa seed at the International Grain Show, held at Chicago, Ill. These prizes last fall were won by Albert Loughheed, of Bowden, Alta., champion in timothy seed, and by A. J. Stephens, of Bow River, Alta., champion in alfalfa seed.

Kilted Americans

Americans who insist on wearing the kilts while visiting Scotland are becoming such a common sight that the people pay little attention to it. In the past some of the costumes of the visitors have been so loud that true Caledonians shuddered, but apparently they are becoming accustomed to the way foreigners use the plaid.

Indian Wedding



The ancient marriage rites of the Stoney People were exemplified when Chief Bear Paw and his minor chiefs united Miss Sylvia Hanishen-Cate, of Hilversum, Holland, to Mr. Louis Lantzius, of Vancouver. Immediately after the picturesque Indian ceremony which took place on the Bow River at Banff, the couple were again married according to the rites of their own church. Bear Paw is seen placing the eagle feathers, emblem of faithfulness, on the groom's head and bracelet on the wrist of the bride.

Prefers Rural Life

Ontario Man Says Farmer Is His Own Boss

In a letter written to the Farmer's Advocate, "Digit," of Perth County, Ontario disagrees with an assertion that those who live on the farm do so because they cannot tear themselves away and are willing to lose money on the farm rather than draw a hundred a week in the city. He says: "I know of several offices in the city where I am welcome to go on the pay roll at any time. I have tasted some of the joys of city life and at a good salary. I came back to the farm for two reasons: First, I could earn more money and have more left when the year was up; and, second, there is not the worry and incessant demand of attention to business on the farm. As to the \$100 a week, I met a couple of men who received that amount. I met a hundred who were competent and successful farmers, but had gone to the city, and only three or four were getting over \$30 per week; they could have done as well had they stayed on the farm. Foolishly, we forget what it costs to live in the city."

New Canadians Are Eager To Learn

How new Canadian immigrants from foreign countries, are determined to learn the English language and Canadian ways, is shown by the progress made in a night school organized for Ukrainian settlers at St. Walburg, Sask. This school meets three nights a week, and on one night recently, though the weather was cold, twenty were in attendance, some having come a distance of five miles. These newcomers are rapidly becoming proficient in reading and writing in English.

Opinion Has Changed

The change that has taken place in the mental attitude of the people of Canada toward its vast northwestern areas is simply amazing. At the present time it is admitted on every hand that this territory is no longer a barren wilderness, but a region packed with immeasurable potential wealth, which only awaits enterprise and capital for its development.

Birds have the most remarkable memories of all wild life.

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Make Soil Surveys For Establishment Of Agriculture On a More Scientific Basis

Reviving the Dead Sea

May Prove To Be the Source Of Untold Wealth

The discovery that the Dead Sea is capable of yielding many millions of value in minerals, useful chemicals and commercial fertilizers links up easily with the simultaneous information that Sir Herbert Samuels, former governor-general of Palestine, is sponsoring a plan to make the Holy Land a self-governing dominion of the British Empire. The plan of Sir Herbert contemplates a Jewish dominion; he is not particularly interested in the Arabian protectorate or mandated dependency which now exists in Palestine. The country cannot be Jewish, however, until there is a Jewish preponderance in the population; and such a preponderance can only come to pass through a great and new industrial development of the region.

If the Dead Sea may be made the source of untold wealth, to be exploited by Jewish capital, and at the same time the hydro-electric power developed which inheres in the Jordan, and the tremendous declivity of the great slope from the highlands down to the level of the Dead Sea, the three millions of Jewish population that are regarded as requisite for a Jewish dominion may well be realizable.

The "Dead Sea," we call it. The Bible never called it that. This name had its origin with a Greek called Pausanias. In the Scriptures, it is the Salt Sea, just as we call a somewhat similar body of water the Salt Lake. And it is also called the Sea of the Cities of the Plain, in memory of Sodom and Gomorrah—two very wicked towns on its shores, or on its bottom, which were, according to the Bible, destroyed by a rain of brimstone, or, according to Sir William Dawson, by the outbursting of underground reservoirs of inflammable gases or petroleum; the gases and the brimstone are still there, and Sir Herbert Samuels may hope that the petroleum is too.—Boston Transcript.

Fruits Of British Columbia

Almost Every Variety Of Fruits Now Grown On Pacific Slope

Most fruits except those indigenous to the tropics or sub-tropics, are now being produced in British Columbia. Apples, apricots, cherries, peaches, plums, pines, nectarines, figs, loganberries, raspberries, strawberries, grapes, almonds and other less hardy fruits and nuts are now grown commercially. The principal crop is apples, the production of which has increased in the last 17 years from 220,000 bushels to over 3,000,000 bushels.

Recent experiments have shown that some districts of British Columbia are likely to become notable as producers of fruits, nuts and crops that have hitherto not been grown in the province. Flowering bulbs are now being grown profitably.

Co-operative marketing is largely practised by fruit growers and farmers generally. A large percentage of the fruit produced in British Columbia is exported to distant markets, including Great Britain, the Orient and Australia. A horticultural branch is maintained by the Provincial Government to assist the industry.

In Need Of Publicity

New York Paper Has Queer Idea About Vancouver

Vancouver, which is voting some \$80,000 this year for publicity purposes, might spend a few dollars of it New York to let New York know there is such a place. A New York paper, in alluding to Percy Williams' feat, says: "The young Canadian is a sensation, and well he might be, as he stepped from the backwoods of Northwest Canada into fame with a dual victory at the 1928 Olympic games." Evidently Vancouver has still a lot to learn about putting herself on the map.—Victoria Colonist.

On a Diet

Two men who had not met for a long time sat in a restaurant talking. "How is old Snaggs, the company promoter, getting on?" inquired one. "Oh, he's not been feeling well lately," was the reply. "He's had to keep to a very strict diet—just a little of certain food."

"What's wrong with him? Indigestion? Insomnia?"

"No. In prison."

Now that a motorcycle has ridden along a tight rope it would seem that tight ropes are no longer safe for pedestrians.

The success of the postage stamp is in this, that it doth stick to one thing until it doth arrive at its destination, and achieve its result.

Over 20,000,000 pairs of leather footwear were made in the 175 factories of Canada last year.

As much as \$30,000 may be spent on the organs installed in the best movie houses.

In view of the widespread interest that is being taken in the procuring of settlers for the farm lands of Canada and in the establishing of agriculture on a more scientific basis, W. A. Johnston, of the Geological Survey, presents some interesting facts about soil surveys. He states that soil surveys have been carried out to some extent during the past few years by the provincial governments in the prairie provinces, that land classification work has been done by the Department of the Interior, and that the mapping of soils which is primarily a geological problem, has been conducted by the Geological Survey.

A soil survey of any area shows the character and location of the several types of soil in the area and thus provides information regarding soil conditions that is of value not only to the farmer but to the scientific agriculturist outside the area who is called upon to give advice regarding questions of the soil improvement or who is attempting to solve problems regarding the most effective uses of certain kinds of soil. The fundamental principles of a soil survey is that each type of soil is best adapted to certain kinds of crops and requires the same kinds of farming practices and methods of soil improvement. It is held by scientific agriculturists that the art of agriculture, the oldest and most fundamental of all the sciences, is the least developed, and it is well recognized that there are at least a few distinct types of soil in each of the physiographic provinces that require different methods of cropping and farm practice. A soil survey in many cases reveals important problems of soil improvement and farm practice that need attention. The perennial question of how long exclusive grain growing can be carried on in prairie provinces is partly a question of the character of the soil, for some soils can be cropped continuously much longer than can other soils. Again, the question of soil drifting, which has become a serious problem in many parts of the prairie provinces, is partly a question of the character of the soil, for some soils drift badly whereas others do not. A soil survey also affords a guide in the buying and selling of farm property, and in the selection of land for particular purposes.

Soils may be classified in several different ways, depending upon the point of view of the investigator. A purely geological classification, that is, according to the physical character and mode of origin of the soil, may be inadequate from the point of view of the scientific agriculturist, but must be taken into consideration in any scheme of classification. The geological classification ordinarily distinguishes ten to twelve different types of soil in a single physiographic area. The number may be increased if necessary, but there appears to be no need at present for any elaborate classification. The soils in Canada as geologically mapped usually include swamp deposits, dune sands, alluvium of streams, lake or marine sand, silt and clay, and glacial drift in its various forms such as moraines of the ice-sheets, kames or gravel hills and outwash sand plains.

The Geological Survey has mapped and described the soils from the point of view of origin and physical character in several areas in Canada, in the vicinity of Ottawa, in the Rainy River District, Ontario, in southeastern Manitoba, and in the Winnipegosis District of Manitoba. The three latter areas were mapped especially for the purpose of supplying information to intending settlers. Recently the mapping has been extended to cover the greater part of southern Manitoba up to latitude 52 degrees, and it is proposed to issue a map covering this area.

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What is claimed to be the oldest razor extant was recently discovered by M. Dharvent, a French archaeologist, in a sand quarry at Montierles-Amiens. It has a handle and blade similar to the modern razor and was found with other "tools" which have been traced back to about 8,000 B.C.

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Bradner Flower Show

Editor News:

There is a treat in store for those who will visit the Spring flower show of the Bradner and District Horticultural and Bulb Growers' Association, to be held on Saturday, April 27, in the community hall, Bradner. Here will be shown the highest and the lowliest of the great family named after the Greek hero of mythology, Narcissus, for he it is known that all we commonly call Daffodils belong to this family, the finer distinctions being more in the line of the ardent grower or professional. But to those who can spend a pleasant hour or two amongst flowers, and can forget for that time the mundane things of earth, the Bradner hall on the 27th will yield a wealth of association, old and new, that is unsurpassed. For there, when the flowers are staged, you can be on the most familiar terms with King Alfred, in all his golden glory, with the Queen of the East, in robes of silver and gold, with other members of the Royal family, with the shades of old Grecian mythology, old and honored members of the horticultural profession, as the Sydenhams, the Barrs, and the Batts, and with famous people representative of almost every nation, every profession, and every idea, and in the shape of these gold and silver heralds of Spring, all now gathered together for your pleasure, your acquaintance, your profit, your instruction and education, asking only your attendance to display to you their matchless beauties. Defying weather, pests, do rage and roar, all they ask you to do is "come and see." Come and see for yourselves that Solomon in all his glory could not be arrayed like one of these. Come and see that the gold and silver of the Queen of Sheba is not comparable to the gold and silver of these messengers of Spring. Come and see the many sterling varieties that you will like to deck your garden with, not to replace existing old favorites, but to give them better companions. Come and see, come and be convinced that there is nothing under the sun to promote that neighborly feeling to equal the competition of varieties of beautiful flowers. Last, but not least, we are striving to accomplish in the way of building up a new industry for this section of the Fraser Valley. We believe that our land is second to none for the production of first-class bulbs. Millions of dollars leave this land every year for the purchase of just such stock as the blooms on exhibition have been produced. We know these bulbs can be grown here. We want to draw attention to this fact. We believe this exhibition is one way in which the eyes of those interested can be focused on our district. We plan other methods, other developments, as well as this show, but your attendance and patronage on that day helps us, encourages us to go ahead, and when the goal of our ambitions is finally reached, we will all benefit. If we could visualize our section of the world as the Dutchman's part of Holland, or the Englishman's part of England, we would see a country in the flowering season a mass of gold, of silver, of shades of every description, pleasant beyond compare to the eye, prosperous beyond imagination, and altogether lovely. For this we are trying. We want you to help. We ask you to "come and see."

FENWICK FATKIN

Our School

Mr. Heller: As some criticism has arisen over my short letter of a week ago, will you permit me space to state a few facts, not idle ramblings.

Immediately after our Inspector's visit to the school, interviews with the trustees were held, in which the Inspector made a verbal report, which I, as one of the Board, cannot pass over lightly, but intend, if it becomes necessary, to call a meeting of ratepayers and acquaint them with all details. Now, I would like to ask the parents how a school with a deficient rating can turn out good and intelligent citizens. The Inspector is a man of ability and education with long teaching experience, and his observations are more important than those of a mere pedestrian, who happens to pass through the school yard to and from work. Also let me remind this gentleman that it puts an entirely different aspect on things when you are on the inside looking out than when you

Large "Frigidaire" Unit For M.S.A. Hospital

At a special meeting of the hospital managers, held on Monday, the purchasing committee reported approval of the purchase of a Frigidaire refrigerator unit for the hospital, the cost of which was \$897. Representatives of the Women's Auxiliary and the hospital Board had inspected one of the units at Chilliwack, and decided it was more suitable than the C.G.E. cabinet offered by the B.C.E. agent. The president and secretary of the Society were authorized to effect the purchase, the W.I. to pay \$600 of the price, as promised, and the Board the \$297 balance, with interest. It was understood that the Auxiliary had about \$300 available for the initial payment. Payment of a bonus of \$15 to J. Reynburn for painting work he had executed in the hospital, was passed.

Secretary Morris reported collection of \$505, accounts due less than six months, and \$79.70 accounts due over six months, during March. Outstanding accounts, incurred during the year 1928, amounted to \$1,045.50, the secretory reported, of which he classified \$345 as "good," \$300 as "doubtful" and \$400 as "N.G." After writing off numerous bad accounts, the hospital was owed \$4,483.00 to date by patients. A motion was passed writing off the D. J. Moore and McClelland accounts as "uncollectable."

Rotation of orders for provisions, hardware and other hospital supplies and the apportionment respectively to "life" and "ordinary" members was again defined in accordance with a recent resolution, and two managers who had previously paid the major portion of their life membership fee were informed that further payments would be credited until the full \$100 fee had been paid.

The Secretary was instructed to write the B.C.E. and I.O.F. lodges offering them first privilege of obtaining a life membership in the hospital Society by providing furnishings for a small room in the hospital. Should they decline, the interest of some individual will be solicited.

Arrangements were completed for the service room improvements, accommodation for the refrigeration plant, and minor improvements to other parts of the hospital building.

Correspondence included letters from former hospital patients relative to their accounts, and a membership fee from D. J. Hipwell.

are on the outside looking in. Read between the lines of the Inspector's report—that official has no desire to harm a teacher's career.

May I further suggest here that in future the hilarious-minded take a gentle hint, and if really interested, arrange for an interview with headquarters rather than rush into print causing a lot of unnecessary publicity when matters could be adjusted with little, if any, controversy. And by the way, your vote of thanks is due the gentleman who is so full of hilarity and alleluia as to have brought these matters before the public—and not to your Trustee.

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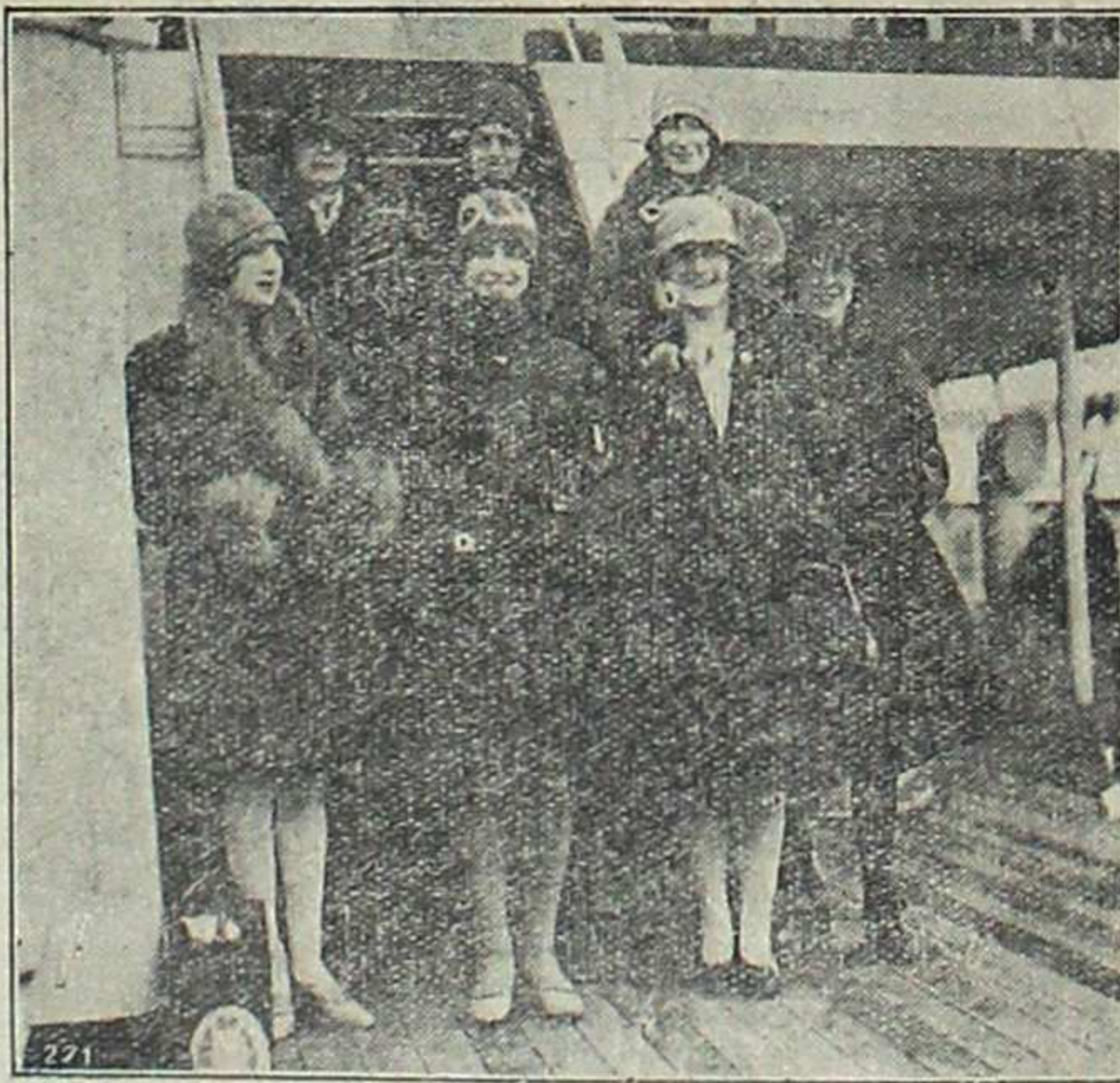
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ABBOTSFORD

Galedonians are giving a dance on April 26 in Gifford Hall with Gladwin's orchestra.

Little Beryl Stafford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Stafford underwent a tonsil operation last week.

Joseph Watson, of Vye, well-known locally for his fistic ability, is returning to his home in Lishburn, County Antrim, Ireland, this week. He has been employed at the Delair condensary, and resided with his uncle, J. Watson, Vye road.

Abbotsford Motors have sold an Essex coupe to W. Corrigan of Abbotsford and a Ford touring car to J. Jackman, Aldergrove.

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Dated at Abbotsford this 17th. day of April, 1929.
JOS. SCOTT,
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Chilliwack Electoral District.

Government Auction Draws Huge Crowd Buyers

The auction sale of the government farm equipment at Sumas attracted the largest crowd of buyers ever seen in this district, an estimate of the attendance ranging from 1,400 to 1,600. Bidding was spirited, particularly for some of the tractors and other machinery, and high prices were consistently realized—on some of the goods, remarkably high. The government obtaining a profit on pieces of machinery purchased second-hand, and used for seasons of work at the Sumas farm. Everything was sold, the total proceeds aggregating about \$12,000. J. Thompson of Chilliwack was the auctioneer.
Among Matsqui purchasers were J. Olsen, tractor; A. Hougen, team and machinery, and H. Mercer, tractor.

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Mrs. Lizzie Missett and family desire to express their sincere thanks and gratitude to all friends for their kindness during their sorrow, and for the floral offerings.

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8 p.m. Monday—Young People's Society.

Abbotsford Friends Attend Mrs. Leary's Funeral

Many Abbotsford friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Leary, which was held in Murrayville on Sunday, April 7, with Rev. Mr. Oswald officiating. Pallbearers, lifelong friends of deceased, were Messrs. P. Y. Porter, Robt. Porter, D. Monahan, S. Monahan, G. Goddard, D. Cummings.

Mrs. Clara May Leary passed away suddenly on Thursday, April 4, at the family home in Chilliwack. She had been in poor health following an illness some four years ago, although not confined to the house, and was up and around the morning of her death.

The deceased, who was thirty-six years of age, was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Simonds, now of Royal Oak, but former residents of Langley Prairie. Since her marriage fifteen years ago, she and her husband have resided in this vicinity a great deal of that time, and in Abbotsford for several years, moving to Chilliwack last August. Deceased is survived by her parents and husband, and four young children, Carrie, Jimmie, Joe and Dorothy.

Hop Grower Addresses Sumas Business Men

The Sumas Lions listened with much interest to a lecture on hop growing, by Mr. Harry Ord, manager of the Canadian Hop Growers, who operate a hop field of 640 acres on Sumas Prairie, seven miles east of Sumas. This hop field is perhaps the largest single unit of the hop growing industry on the American continent. Although this field is young in years of operation, this being its fifth year, its market is world-wide, the greater portion of the product of this industry being sold in foreign lands.

A number of varieties of hops are grown in this field, but the bulk of the acreage is confined to two or three of the heaviest producers. At this season of the year an average of 100 men are given employment—during the cultivation and training period. Many more are employed at picking time, as drying is started along with the harvesting. Of course there is more or less work attached to the hop growing industry all year round. This company provides bunking and living quarters for the employees, also a suitable hall for entertainment with musical and other features of entertainment of evenings. A small paper—mimeographed—is issued as necessity requires—mostly daily.

From now on until the close of the harvest season the yards take on all the airs of the average village with its constant activities. Cultivation is mostly with tractors, though a considerable amount of hoeing is necessary in the earlier growing season. Spraying is also a big job and an expensive one, but like all other crops, it is very necessary to prevent or eradicate disease. —The Sumas News

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Ratepayers Discussing High School Consolidation

A series of ratepayers' meetings is being held in Sumas municipality, called by the School Board to discuss a proposal to organize a consolidated high school area, and join with the Abbotsford district. At the Huntingdon meeting, held last Friday, the attendance was so small that the meeting was adjourned. A meeting was held in Sumas municipal hall on Monday, and attended by about ten ratepayers, who discussed the proposal at some length. Other meetings are called for tonight at Kilgarr, and tomorrow night at Straiton.

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Extensions to the carriages of the big saw, recently effected, now enable the Abbotsford mill to produce large dimension timbers 80 feet in length, and several carloads of these big fir sticks have been shipped east during the past week or two.

The local company is favored with brisk orders this spring, and, in the opinion of J. Van Puyenbroek and Edgar Trethewey, the company's executives, this business activity promises to endure throughout the summer. By acquisition of additional limits, the local company lengthens its operations in this locality to a probable five years.

Anticipate Heavy Auto Traffic This Summer

Cement concrete paving is to be laid this year from Vedder canal to the pumping station in readiness for connecting with the new highway across Sumas Prairie, grading of which strip of roadway is now within a mile or two of completion. At present the Columbia Bitulithic Co. crews are engaged on the section between Chinatown at Sardis and Atcheltz creek.

Automobile traffic en route from U. S. points to Harrison Hot Springs and the Cariboo will largely travel via Abbotsford and the Mission bridge, instead of detouring over the dangerous and narrow highway around Vedder mountain while paving is underway on the lake road. For this reason, Chilliwack interests have brought pressure to bear upon the provincial department of public works to have the Vedder canal-to-pumping station paving rushed to completion this year, and they have been definitely assured by Hon. W. Atkinson that the paving will be extended one mile this season.

The government ditcher is at work this week east of Starr's creek and approaching the Fooks property. The department of public works is calling for tenders for a large quantity of bitumen, for use in various road-paving projects in the province, one of which is the Riverside road from Abbotsford to Mission bridge, which will surface this summer.

Mr. Emil Zurowski, from Regina, is a guest of his brother, Rudolph Zurowski, Sumas Prairie, and expects to purchase a farm and reside here. Mr. R. Zurowski's son, Chris, has also arrived from the prairies.

A. Shaw was fined \$12.50 and costs in Sumas police court on Monday for driving his car to the common danger. Shaw met with misfortune at Porter's corner a week ago, when his car overturned, pinning him beneath.

Mr. R. McCrimmon's condition is improving, and he is resting easily in the hospital.

Mrs. A. Conway has gone to spend a short holiday with her son, Mr. A. Conway, at Chilliwack.

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For Sale.—New Cottage 18x28 at Cultus Lake, waterfront lot. Box 104, Abbotsford.

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SPECIAL MEETING, FRIDAY, APRIL 19th, 1929

The qualified voters of the Abbotsford Rural School District are hereby notified that a special school meeting as authorized by the Public Schools' Act, will be held on the 19th day of April, in the school at 7 p.m., for the purpose of voting on the proposed amalgamation of Sumas and Abbotsford, for high school purposes.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A survey of Fort Churchill will be undertaken immediately by the provincial government for the purpose of laying out a model townsite at Manitoba's seaport.

Charles Angers, former member of parliament, is dead at Quebec, at the age of 71 years. He represented Charlevoix County, at Ottawa, in 1896. He was a Liberal.

Regina's assessment for 1929 will be two and a half million dollars greater than the amount upon which 1928 taxes were struck, it was estimated by R. J. Westgate, city assessor.

Soviet Russia on March 12, celebrated the 12th anniversary of the breaking out of the revolution which resulted in the abdication of the Czar. All shops, business houses and government institutions were closed.

League of Nations officials announced that an agreement had been practically reached on the main points of the protocol for adherence of the United States to the world court of justice.

More than half a billion pounds of dangerous explosives were handled by railroads of the United States and Canada in 1928 without injury to any person, and with a property loss of only \$77, the American Railway Association announced.

The Polish newspaper Rzeczpospolita says it has learned Pope Pius will begin a tour early in 1930, visiting Trieste, Zagreb, Budapest, Cracow, Warsaw, Vienna, Munich, Brussels, Dublin, Paris, Madrid and Lisbon.

Bankruptcy proceedings have been instituted against Princess Victoria, sister of the former Kaiser. The Princess, who is living in seclusion at the palace in Bonn, Germany, declined to make a statement. The first meeting of her creditors was called for April 4.

Indians Bring Weird

Story From North

Report Finding Body Of White Prospector Standing Upright

One of the most mysterious deaths that has ever been reported from the inland reaches of northern Ontario has sifted down from the far outposts. Trappers and prospectors who have experienced the biting, life-wasting cold of that section do not scoff at its possibility.

According to the report an Indian party engaged in running trap-lines in the region of the headwaters of the Attawapiska River discovered the body of a white man standing bolt upright, with one foot slightly advanced as if he was about to take a step when suddenly stricken. The body was as hard as a board and was firm in its usual position. The Indians found the man's snowshoes were firmly anchored in slush ice. There were neither marks on the clothing nor anything in the prospector's sack that would indicate his identity, according to the report.

Recovery of the body cannot be made until summer, it was stated.

Early Heat In Antarctic

Wilkins Party Halted By Melting Ice At Expedition Base

The Antarctic was almost too warm for airplane exploration during the time the Wilkins expedition was at its base at Deception Island early this winter. Sir Hubert Wilkins, leader of the party, said after his arrival from South America.

The earliest summer season in 14 years melted ice at the expedition base and deprived Wilkins of the use of snow-equipped planes, the explorer said.

Wilkins said he made no attempt to reach the south pole, approaching only within 650 miles of it, devoting his time to preliminary survey for weather observation stations in the Antarctic.

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Governments Asked For Aid

Jack Miner Wants Grant For Work Of Bird Sanctuary

Jack Miner—a name almost synonymous with safety and sanctuary for birds—has sent a letter to each member of Parliament in Canada asking for a grant to carry on the work of the bird sanctuary at Kingsville, Ontario.

The sanctuary started by Jack Miner in 1904 has proven a model for others founded through the world, including those of Russia and the United States of America.

Birds have been coming to the Miner sanctuary for over a quarter of a century and during the last six years the feed bill for birds has cost on an average between \$5,000 and \$6,000 per year.

A grant of \$750 has been received from the Dominion Government and a grant of \$400 from the Ontario government.

Jack Miner has charged no one for the use of the land on which the bird life oasis is situated in the deadly desert of hunter's guns, with deadly puffs of birdshot scattered here and there.

In addition to providing a place of safety for the birds in transit, Mr. Miner has tagged all birds he possibly could that have landed on the ponds in the sanctuary.

He carried on the work for 15 years with no assistance from any government, all funds being provided by himself from his farm and from his series of lectures across Canada and in the United States.

Sugar Imports Are Heavy

Canada Produces Only Small Part Of Annual Requirements

Fortunately for the sugar producers of the world, the consumption of that valuable food, if it has not kept pace, has, at least, enormously increased. In 1850, the total population of our planet was placed at 1,070 millions, and the consumption of sugar at 2,000,000 tons, or 4.18 pounds per head. In 1926, an estimated total population of 1,830 millions managed to consume 23,80 million tons of sugar, an average of 28.81 pounds per head.

From a London handbook, the Sugar Manual, it is interesting to learn that Canada stands third in the list of sugar consumers with an average of 96.1 pounds per head, or an aggregate of over 850,000,000 pounds annually, less than 50,000,000 pounds of this being produced from sugar beets grown within Canada. Canadians thus require about 800,000,000 pounds of sugar imports yearly to satisfy the national craving. Canada, however, falls short of the United States' demand by 222 pounds per head, and is still further behind the Australians, the champion sugar eaters of the world. The Antipodeans are not satisfied until they get away with 141.7 pounds apiece, the figure for last year.

Canadian Press Tour

Newspapermen Will Tour British Isles and Continent, Sailing On June 6

Arrangements for the Canadian Press Tour have now been completed. The party will sail from Montreal on the C.P.R. S.S. Montclair, on Thursday, June 6, and will arrive at Cherbourg, Friday June 14. After five days in Paris the party will visit Austria, Czechoslovakia and Germany. They will proceed to Wiesbaden, and go down the Rhine to Cologne, thence to Brussels and The Hague. Ten days will be spent in London, the Shakespeare country will be visited, Chester, North Wales, Lancashire, the Trossachs and the Burns country. The party will sail for home on the beautiful "Duchess of Atholl," on July 19. The inclusive rate for the trip will be \$825.00 per person. Rough copies of the itinerary can be procured from Mr. Rupert Davies, of the Whig-Standard, Kingston, who has made all the arrangements, and reservations can be made any time with Mr. H. M. MacCallum, Assistant Steamship Gen. Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Windsor Station, Montreal, Que. A reservation fee of \$100.00 is requested and the balance by May 6, thirty days before sailing date.

Game Fishing In Canada

Fishing for sport has its economic side in a country of such famous game fish as the salmon of the Restigouche, the black bass of the Quebec and Ontario highlands, and the trout of the Nipigon. Sport fishing is also an important feature of the wild life of Western Canada. It forms one of the chief attractions of Canada's national parks.

By living on board private yachts moored on the River Thames, near Westminster, a number of Londoners escape paying rent, rates and house duty in return for a mooring fee of three guineas a year.

Because of the housing shortage in Germany, nearly 200,000 young married couples are living with their parents-in-law.

Pupils in Scotland have to get through about three times as many books in the school year as London school children.

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Receives Bronze Medal

Award Of Merit Goes To Nine Year-Old Girl At Vermilion

Announcement of awards for bravery were made by the board of governors of the Royal Humane Society at Hamilton.

No silver or gold medals were awarded by the third mark of merit, a bronze medal was conferred upon little Rosetta Annette, the nine-year-old girl who on the night of Nov. 12, 1928, saved six children from death in a burning farmhouse at Vermilion, Alberta. When the house in which she was employed became a mass of flames, the child succeeded in waking the farmer's family, and carried or dragged them all to safety. There was a seventh child which ran back into the house after being rescued, and Rosetta returned for her. It was too late, however, and the lost life. Hon. R. S. Reid, provincial treasurer for Alberta, made the recommendation on Rosetta Annette's behalf.

Other medals awarded included one to John Pritchard, Grindrod, B.C.

Parchment awards were conferred upon the following westerners: Florence Monteith, Joseph McConnell and Frank Chase, of Chase, B.C.

Change Bread To Cake

Here's the Magic Recipe

Cut slices of day-old white bread 1/2 inch thick. Trim off crusts. Cut each slice into strips 1/2 inch wide by 2 inches long.

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Tax On Bachelors

Cuba Has Some Advanced Ideas On Legislation

Cuba is not the only country that imposes a tax upon its bachelors, but it is doubtful whether any other nation has shown the enterprise of establishing a governmental matrimonial bureau where spinsters must file their photographs. That, indeed, seems progress. Cuba is not satisfied with collecting every year its ten dollars from all bachelors who persist in eluding the wife of women. It is moved by nobler and far-reaching ideals. It would bring to gether those lonely souls, male and female, who perhaps through an inferiority complex feel unable to take the necessary steps which might lead to courtship and the altar. — Springfield Union.

Showed Rare Tact

On a certain island station there was a garrison of marines as well as bluejackets, with a senior officer of each corps. Their two wives each laid claim to a special pew in the little church, and after much acrimonious dispute an appeal was made to the Governor. He accorded a patient hearing to each claimant, and decided that the pew should be occupied by the elder of the two. Result, the pew was never occupied by either.

There's a Reason

Tea, it is rumored, can be improved somewhat by following the Siberian custom and adding just a dash of rum. Once when entertaining in Shanghai, a friend of mine gave tea thus embellished to a missionary, but served the ordinary variety to his wife. "I just can't understand it," the good lady remarked about half an hour later. "At home John won't touch tea, and here he's having his fifth cup."

Mrs. Thatcher: "So sorry to hear of your husband's illness. Is he improving?"

Mrs. Powers: "He's feeling better, if that's what you mean!"

SKI CHAMPION



J. Nordmoe, of Camrose, Alberta, wearing the smile of victory after having won the Sir Henry Thornton trophy for the highest points in the combined cross country and ski jump, Canadian Championships, held at Montreal on February 24th. — Canadian National Railways Photo.

Canada's Arctic Gateway

Some Of the Striking Advantages Possessed By the Hudson Bay Route

In the current issue of the New Republic appears a signed article by Mr. D. M. LeBourdais, of this city, on "Canada's Arctic Gateway" and it gives, in a striking way, an idea of the importance and significance of the Hudson Bay route to Europe.

The people of Canada, long held back by restraining influences, especially in the eastern provinces, have been slow to perceive in their full meaning the advantages that must flow from this new outlet from the central north of Canada to the markets of the old world.

A few of the advantages are strikingly put by Mr. LeBourdais, as when he points out that Fort Churchill is one hundred miles nearer to Vancouver than to the coast of Labrador. That gives some idea how far inland salt water reaches. Churchill is one hundred miles further west than Duluth, and fifty miles further west than St. Paul. Yet it is one hundred miles nearer Liverpool than Montreal.

The Hudson Bay route would, if served with a complete railway system, shorten the distance from Liverpool to Yokohama by 2,500 miles. "Only recently," Mr. LeBourdais writes, "have Canadians come to realize that their country is the only one in the world that is bounded by three oceans; and that the Arctic, so far as Hudson Bay is concerned, is hardly less available than Atlantic or the Pacific."

After two years of governmental inquiry it has been learned that Hudson Strait is open to navigation until at least the middle of November and sometimes, probably, until the end of the month. It is claimed by some that the season of navigation will be nearly as long as that by way of the St. Lawrence, but even though it may be quite a bit shorter than that its value to Canada may well be enormous.—Toronto Star.

Prophecy Was Fulfilled

High Achievement Of Marshal Foch Foretold By Lord Roberts

In an article on the life of Marshal Foch, the Detroit Saturday Night says: His was a life of devotion to France, and in freeing France he made the world his debtor, for it was under his command that the allies marched to victory.

Before the war the world had heard little of him. But there was one who had early recognized this exceptional military ability and foretold his high achievement with the gift of true prophecy. Twenty years ago, five years before the first gun was fired, Lord Roberts, of England, was vainly pleading with his countrymen to prepare for war with Germany, and said during a visit to Canada:

"They refuse to believe me, and we are asleep under a false security, for I do not hesitate to affirm that we will have a frightful war in Europe and England, and France will have the hardest experience of their existence. They will, in fact, see defeat very near, but the war will finally be won by the genius of a French general, named Ferdinand Foch, professor in a military school in Paris."

The fulfillment of that prophecy resounded in the acclaim with which America received Marshal Foch after the war. Detroit will long cherish the memory of his visit here.

Sugar Beets A Paying Crop

Sugar beets proved the best-paying crop in the Taber-Barnwell irrigation district last year, returning an average of \$69.59 per acre. Alfalfa came second, with \$25.85 per acre, and wheat third, with \$23.27. The average production per acre in the project was worth \$28.97.

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A Great Canadian

Prof. Shotwell Was Close Adviser Of Woodrow Wilson and One Of the Authors Of Kellogg Peace Pact

Mr. E. J. Garland and the Prime Minister deserve thanks for disclosing to Parliament recently that one of the real authors of the Kellogg Peace Pact is none other than a Canadian, Prof. Shotwell, of Columbia University. Canada has given many notable figures to the industrial, commercial and academic life of the United States. It is doubtful whether she has given anyone who has made a more distinguished contribution to the republic than Prof. Shotwell. Born in Canada and educated in Canada, Prof. Shotwell stands today as one of the most eminent figures in the whole scholastic field of the United States. His name, indeed, is known wherever international or world politics is discussed; the pity is that it is not better known among his own countrymen here in Canada.

Prof. Shotwell first arrested world attention when he became one of the close advisers of Woodrow Wilson in the sphere of foreign affairs. When the Peace Treaty of Versailles was in the making, he was in Paris; and later on, in pamphlets and numerous volumes and newspaper articles and lectures he has dealt with international questions with a scholarship and sure grasp of realities rivalled by few of his contemporaries.

Prof. Shotwell, in fact, must be ranked among the greatest of living Canadians. The pity is that, like many another, he is an exile from the land his talents could serve so well.



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Wheat Marketing In Britain

Canadian Wheat Pool Inspires British Farmers To Follow Example

The example of the Canadian farmers in setting up a wheat pool for marketing their grain seems to have inspired a report issued by the British Ministry of Agriculture "On the Marketing of Wheat, Barley, and Oats, in England and Wales."

An official summary states that the report puts forward various suggestions on practical lines which, if followed up by farmers, merchants and manufacturers, working in sympathetic co-operation, should lead to an improvement in the present position of cereal marketing.

"The farmer's part," states the report, "should be to produce a more uniform quality of article in each case. This could be done by concentrating on the cultivation of predominant varieties, a movement which might be facilitated by the formation of 'pure-line' growers' associations. Steps might also be taken in the direction of standardizing the grain offered for sale."

"Farmers might consider how best to reduce drastically the number of sellers on the market, as well as to stem the present rush of sales immediately after harvest. To achieve this, however, it would seem necessary to set up some form of selling agency, supported by a system of growers' contracts."

Solidified Sunshine

Served To New York Diners Under Artificial Sunlight

Nature received a workout in New York, when a thousand persons in evening clothes sat under the hot artificial sunlight of 10-kilowatt Klieg lights in the Hotel Astor's grand ball room, and ate samples of genuine sunshine, pure, solidified, edible sunshine on the half shell.

The serving of irradiated yeast or edible sunshine was only a small item of the annual scenic dinner of the American Institute. A flame was shown which converted its heat directly into magnetic force, sustaining the weight of a man.

Samples were exhibited of the new alloy of tungsten, carbon and cobalt, called carboboy, which was hailed as "the first important contribution to the art of cutting tools since the introduction of high speed steel," being exceeded in hardness only by the diamond.

A lightning machine was demonstrated, and also the photophone, an instrument by which light can be sent over light waves.

Electric Power In Alberta

Transmission Lines Spreading Over Province At A Rapid Rate

The rapid rate at which electric transmission lines have been spread over the province of Alberta, especially during 1928, is indicated in a recently issued government report. A network of high tension lines now radiates east and west, north and south over the central and southern part of the province. There is a continuous line from Edmonton in the north to Magrath south of Lethbridge, in the south, with the exception of the gap of less than thirty miles between Millet and Ponoka still to be closed.

One power company, with headquarters in Calgary, is operating 332 miles of 66,000-volt lines and 839 miles of 13,200-volt lines. Of this mileage approximately 50 miles of 66,000-volt lines, and 474 miles of 13,200 volt lines were built during 1928, and the company's territory in the north now extends as far east as Wainwright and Hardisty.

Values Of Farm Lands

Average Value Of Farm Lands In Canada Placed At \$38 Per Acre

A recent official estimate states that the average value of the occupied farm lands of Canada as a whole including both improved and unimproved land, as well as dwelling houses, barns, stables and other farm buildings, is returned as \$38 per acre. By provinces the averages are: Prince Edward Island, \$44; Nova Scotia, \$34; New Brunswick, \$31; Quebec, \$54; Ontario, \$62; Manitoba, \$27; Saskatchewan, \$27; Alberta, \$28; British Columbia, \$90. The average values in 1928 of orchard and fruit lands, including buildings, etc., in the principal fruit-growing districts are estimated to be: Nova Scotia, \$116; Ontario, \$151; British Columbia, \$315.

Western Progress

The thriving city of Regina established a notable record in 1928, in attracting new industries. During the last past year 12 important industrial concerns located in Regina. They are said to have expended about \$5,000,000 in sites, buildings and equipment, and they will employ well on to 2,000 men. Housing accommodation was built last year for 1,000 families, and building has not yet caught up to the demand.

A thought that comes in the few seconds one sits on an icy pavement is that Sir Isaac Newton need not have waited for the apple to fall to suspect gravity.

The total acreage under pasture in Canada in 1928 was 9,528,043 acres.



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Animal Shop Was Wrecked By Monkeys

Released Themselves From Cage In New York Store

Two monkeys released themselves from their cage in a New York animal store, and before their escape was discovered they had wrung the necks of 350 canaries, a rare parakeet, and killed a half a dozen fan-tail goldfish.

A policeman who saw one of the monkeys in the act of slaying the parakeet in a display window forced the door open and saw turtles crawling about the floor through a layer of bird feathers, frantic songsters beating their wings in terror against the walls, goldfish wriggling on counters and a large baboon working hopefully on the door of his cage, which had been partly opened by the monkeys.

One old parrot whose tail feathers had been torn off, cursed monotonously as he walked a narrow shelf.

One of the monkeys submitted peacefully and was soon back in his cage. But the other hurled bird cages at his pursuers and was taken only after he had become engrossed in the task of pulling the tail feathers from a celluloid parrot.

Take Daylight From Air

Reproduction Of Light Said To Be Next Wonder

A radio aerial draws radio waves out of the air. Radio treats essentially with sound. Absorption and reproduction of light, by a method strikingly similar to radio is likely to be next. R. T. Gee, London, Ont., inventor, president of the R. T. Gee Company, Limited, manufacturer of electric light bulbs, is the discoverer. The process, he states, is to be soon available for general use. When it is introduced, it is stated in scientific circles, it will revolutionize illumination, which is today chiefly created by electricity. For, in addition to drawing energy out of the air and reproducing it, Mr. Gee's method provides for the storage of such energy until it is needed. This means, it is explained, that the aerials at work in the daytime will not only absorb but also store sunlight for reproduction at night.

Tested Rocket Sled

A "rocket sled" was tried out at the Schleissheim aviation grounds by Max Valler, inventor of several rocket vehicles. The sled weighs 240 pounds and can be equipped with eight rockets. Valler, using only two rockets, made fine speed on level ground. Spectators tried to visualize the speed that could be made down a snowy slope under the impetus of the rockets, but gave up the attempt before reaching definite conclusions.

Steam Trawling Off Canada's Coasts

Steam trawling, as it is carried on in the North Sea, was introduced on the Atlantic coast of Canada several years ago. There are now 14 steam trawlers operating from Nova Scotia ports. They operate practically the whole year and their catches are utilized entirely for the fresh fish trade.

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Flashes of manufactured lightning 20 feet long have been produced at the Pittsfield (Mass.), laboratory of the General Electric Company.

Nervous and Run Down The Least Noise Would Bother Her

Mrs. R. Burton, Oshawa, Ont., writes: "Three years ago I was so nervous and run down I could hardly bear to have the children make a noise it would bother me so."

"A friend advised me to take



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CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

From up the mountainside came a drumming roar and the rending crash of trees as the fire undermined their roots. Sparks from burning tree-tops crossed the fire-break and started other fires. To combat these, water had to be carried up the steep hillside in pails. Andy was among those delegated to this arduous task. For hours he staggered from stream to hill and back again with a brimming pail in either hand. Scorching by sun and fire, the perspiration streaming down his face and stinging his eyes, the little hero stuck gamely to his task.

"I tried on this 'ere job as a cook," he grumbled, "not as a blinkin' water-spout. Strike me pink, if the water I've carried today was sprinkled in 'ell the devil'd be out of a job. Oh, well," he added resignedly as he filled his pails and turned to again ascend the hill, "as Methusalem said, 'Every little bit 'elps.' These two buckets make exactly four million, two 'undred and six gallons that I've carried this 'd'y." At this instant his foot caught in a root to send him sprawling on his face rolling down the mossy hillside, the pails clattering after him. He lay where he had fallen, flat on his back, with arms outstretched. "There," he soliloquized, "that was the wisest of straw that broke the elephant's back. To 'ell with the fire. Let the blighter burn."

Wilkinson came wearily down the hill. His face was blackened and blistered, his hat gone, and his shirt a network from holes burned through the cloth by flying sparks. He sprawled on all fours by the stream, drank sparingly, then plunged his face in the cooling waters.

"Elo, Wilkie!" shouted Andy, "ow would you like to 'ave a cold bottle of beer?"

Wilkinson seized a stone threateningly and glared at his tormentor. "Men have been killed for less," he growled huskily.

"I s'y, Wilkie," grinned Andy, "these forestry jobs are a snap. Do you 'ave the nerve to collect a salary?"

The district ranger was too tired for speech. His swollen face puckered in a smile and he passed on up the hill, and Andy came stiffly to his feet and resumed his never-ending task.

Connie brought reports that the fire was being held on the north and east. The fire-break on the south held, but spot fires were kept in check only by the almost superhuman efforts of the fire-fighters.

Forest fires reach the peak of their intensity while the sun is hottest. With darkness the wind subsides, and, especially in the mountains the heavy dews are a never-failing help.

The sun, showing blood-red through the smoke, now sank behind the hills and a blessed coolness filled the air. The fire smouldered along the fire-breaks, but the dreaded sparks were not flying. The trembling roar diminished to a steady crackling where fallen trees were being steadily consumed.

The fire-fighters, their shoulders drooping, and wavering from sheer weakness, plodded down the hill for well-earned food and rest.

"You'll have to be at it again at

Men working at the butt of a

burning tree, too, are exposed to the fall of branches. Even a small bough, hurtling from the dizzy height of lordly cottonwood or fir, will break a man's limbs.

Wilkinson picked up a falling saw. "Who will go with me?" he called. Gillis stepped forward with wedge and hammer.

"Nothin' doin'," said little Blackie, "Wilkinson here has a wife and kid, an' Jack has brains enough to be our boss. Me and Hoop-la ain't got neither, we're just a couple rough-necks. Whadda you say, Hoop-la?"

"Ye betcha," came vigorously from Blackie's pal.

Two men were sent with them to assist in clearing a space at the foot of the big snag. A few minutes later the twang of the cross-cut, mingled with Blackie's happy song, sounded above the crackling of the fire.

Wilkinson pointed to the southern sky, where heavy nimbus clouds were massing. "At last! The blessed rain is coming!" he cried in a voice of thankfulness.

A stronger gust swept through the valley to send a surge of flame from the giant cottonwood's topmost branches. There was a sharp cry of warning as a limb broke off with a splinter-crash and came roaring to the ground, sending up a swirl of dust. A strangled cry of pain, animal-like in its intensity, cut the air.

"Blackie's hit," screamed Hoop-la. Blackie lay on his face, his clothing afire, pinned down by the shattered limb. With a heave of powerful shoulders Hoop-la flung the crushing weight aside, and his big hands quickly smothered the fire in the clothing of his fallen comrade. Gently he raised the stricken man in his arms and bore him beyond the range of fire.

"Blackie! Oh, Blackie! are you all right?" he questioned fearfully as he looked down at the quiet face that held the grey pallor of death. "Call the doctor and bring a stretcher," sharply ordered Wilkinson.

(To Be Continued.)

A DANGEROUS MONTH FOR THE BABY

Mothers Always Dread the Blustering March Days

No month of the year is so dangerous to the welfare of little ones as is March—the month of quickly changing weather. One day is fine, the next cold and blustering. One day dry, the next wet and disagreeable. In spite of all precautions the little ones will take colds and these colds often lead to more serious troubles. Mothers, when the first symptoms appear—sneezing, redness of the eyes, running nose—Baby's Own Tablets should be given at once. They will rapidly break up the cold and prevent the more serious complications.

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the home always feel safe—just like having a doctor in the house. The Tablets are a gentle but thorough laxative that sweeten the stomach and regulate the bowels, thus driving out constipation and indigestion and relieving the baby of the many childhood ailments which are the direct result of a clogged condition of the bowels or a sour stomach.

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

"Robot" For Nine Years

Expert Chess Player Fooled Patrons Of New York Museum

The secret of perhaps the strangest "robot" ever exhibited in America has been revealed with the death of Peter J. Hill. Thirty years ago in New York city, the proprietors of a dime museum astonished their customers with an "automaton chess player." Thousands, including many internationally known players, tried in vain to defeat the "mechanical man." The robot in reality was Hill, masked and disguised. An expert chess player, he sat in the museum for nine years, shifting the pawns on board with jerky, mechanical movements, maintaining silence and keeping his secret from those with whom he played.

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Co-Operating With Board

The Saskatchewan markets and co-operation branch of the department of agriculture is working with the British Empire marketing board to secure valuable advertising for Canada. When an order is placed with a British concern, for machinery or any other commodity, the marketing board is notified and the firm that has the order gets placards telling of the order received and advising the purchase of Canadian-made goods.

Traveller (at country railway station): "Do the fast trains ever stop here?"

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The English navy personnel is greatly decreased as compared with 1914, the present strength being 101,000 as against 146,000.

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War Graves Commission Is Extending Work

Thousand New Cemeteries Have Been Opened In France and Belgium

That the next war would see the obliteration of whole families and whole communities, worse than the days in Egypt when a great cry went up that the first born of every family had died, was envisaged by Colonel Henry C. Osborne, C.M.G., Honorary Secretary of the War Graves Commission, in a speech at the Empire Club luncheon in Toronto. Colonel Osborne is the representative of Canada on the Commission.

The work of the Imperial War Graves Commission, he stated, is financed by the different countries of the Empire, in proportion to the number of their graves. Great Britain bears about 90 per cent. and the remaining 20 per cent. is divided up among the other countries of the Empire. Canada's share being about 8 per cent.

In France and Belgium, 1,000 new British war cemeteries have been opened, with 300 to 10,000 graves in each, and in addition 1,500 plots in Paris cemeteries. The work of the commission extends from the Baltic to the Bosphorus, from Antwerp to Jerusalem, across India and China, New Zealand and Australia, and in Canada where there are over 7,000 war graves in 1,500 different places.

Colonel Osborne described the cemeteries as beautiful places. Eight sites have been allotted to Canada, he said, in those places where she played her most glorious part in the war. Each is marked by a great 15-ton block of Canadian granite. The monument at St. Julien, he said, had been described by the Daily Graphic special correspondent, as the finest war memorial he had seen.

The uncompleted monument at Vimy was of imposing proportions 200 feet square and 125 feet high. It had been designed by a prominent Torontonian, W. S. Allward, and contained a good deal of statuary. It would shortly be completed.

The work of the War Graves Commission, the colonel concluded, was a symbolism of Imperial unity; it might well stand as a pattern for other Imperial commissions. He made an exhortation to rejoice in Canada's British heritage and paid tribute to the solidarity of sentiment, common loyalty and free co-operation throughout the British Empire.

Made Mysterious Jewels

Drug In Goa Stone Was Secret Known Only To Jesuits

Goa, a settlement on the west coast of India, has for centuries been the property of the Portuguese. Shortly after their occupation, the Jesuits appeared and set up a monastery, and it was there that a special sort of "jewel" was made. The Jesuits made these stones, which have come to be known as Goa stones, from various solidified drugs, but we today are totally "in the dark" as to what drugs they were composed of and how they were made.

Each stone was mounted in a silver filigree case and represented fine examples of old workmanship. When the owner of the stone was troubled with indigestion he had only to scrape off a small portion of his stone, and drink it in a glass of water, and he was quite all right in a few moments.

Goa stones today, however, are very rare and are only to be found in very valuable collections of antiques. Several of these relics of the past were auctioned recently when the London residence of a well-known expert in antiques, Sir Hercules Read, was sold.

Asked to write an essay on Quakers, a little girl wrote: "Quakers are very meek people, who never argue, and never answer back. My father is a Quaker, but my mother is not."

When people in olden days were run down they took a tonic. Now they take the driver's number.

It is estimated that only 5 1/2 per cent. of Florida's white population is foreign born.

W. N. U. 1777

New Guinea Miners Now Using Airplane

Fourteen-Day Trip Inland Takes Only One Hour

Aeroplanes have made gold mining possible in New Guinea, but the extreme climate adds a great deal to the hazard of flying, according to Lieut. Kenneth Frewin, an airman of the Mandated Territories Airways, who has just returned to Sydney, Australia, from the big island.

In less than two years gold worth more than \$12,000,000 has been taken out of New Guinea chiefly because aeroplanes have made the remote regions accessible. The flyers have been compelled to take tremendous risks, according to Frewin.

"The difficulty in New Guinea," he said, "is to obtain a sufficient number of pilots, as the average man can only 'stick it' for from three to six months because of the severe conditions, the prevalence of fever and malaria, and the lack of fresh food."

"Although the distance from the Bulolo gold fields to Salamoa beach was only 40 miles, the journey took nearly a fortnight, because of a barrier of rugged mountains rising from 10,000 to 15,000 feet high," he said.

"The trip to and from the coast was negotiated by native boys, many of them dying on the way. Even the strongest could not make more than a few trips, on each of which they carried a load of 50 pounds, taking gold to the coast and provisions to the fields. It was realized that the gold, although plentiful, would not pay under those conditions. Mules were pressed into service but the journey was too rough for them."

The use of aeroplanes was then decided upon and while the first efforts to reach the goldfields were clumsy and only partially successful, aviation has at last been established on a fairly permanent basis, according to Frewin. Aircraft has reduced the journey to the fields from 14 days to one hour. The miners had plenty of money and the pioneer aviators were paid handsomely, the result being that many new companies entered the field. Now several of the gold mining companies operate their own planes.

Western Horse Shipments

Twenty-five Thousand Sent To Eastern Canada Last Year

Western horses to the number of 25,000 were shipped from the prairies to Eastern Canada last year. Most of these horses came from Alberta and Saskatchewan, and were disposed of principally in Ontario and Quebec although some were shipped as far as Prince Edward Island. The shipments varied from heavy draught animals to light range stock and about 5 per cent. were unbroken. A carload of these unbroken range horses of Percheron and Belgian breeds, was shipped into Paisley, Ont., recently and sold at public auction, realizing an average price of \$71 for the 21 head.

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"In God have I put my trust; I will not be afraid."—Psalm lvi. 4.

Oh, heart of mine, we shouldn't worry so!

What we've missed of calm we couldn't have, you know!

What we've met of stormy pain, And of sorrow's driving rain, We can better meet again, If it blow.

We have erred in that dark hour We have known; When our tears fell with the shower All alone.

Were not shine and shadow blent, As the gracious Master meant? Let us temper our content With His own.

For we know not every morrow Can be sad;

So, forgetting all the sorrow We have had,

Let us fold away our fears, And put by our foolish tears, And through all the coming years Just be glad.

—James Whitcomb Reilly.

God writes straight on crooked lines.—Spanish Proverb.

Education By Mail

B.C. Rural Correspondence Courses Cost \$13 a Pupil

Rural correspondence school courses in British Columbia, cost \$13 a pupil, while the ordinary public school student costs the province \$70, according to information tabled before the public accounts committee of the Legislature.

The committee was informed that 350 pupils in outlying parts of the province obtained their elementary school education by means of the correspondence classes.

Whales have the largest brains of all mammals, the largest on record weighing 7,000 grams.

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In 1905 Santos-Dumont, a Brazilian living in Paris, remained in the air 21 seconds flying a biplane of his own construction.

Canada's Chinese Population

Last Registration Gave Total Number As 55,708

According to reports tabled in the House of Commons, three Chinese immigrants were admitted to Canada during the fiscal year 1927-28, two of whom were women. Two students coming to attend Canadian universities were admitted as non-immigrants. Eleven Chinese were deported during the year.

The registration carried on during 1923-24 shows a Chinese population in Canada of approximately 55,706. Of this number, 48,305 were males, 1,302 females, and 6,099 children under 18 years of age. Of the total British Columbia had 31,116 Chinese residents.

The number of Japanese entering Canada in 1927 was 511, and in 1928, 535. Of the total for two years, 273 were adult males, 557 adult females, and 216 children under 18 years of age.

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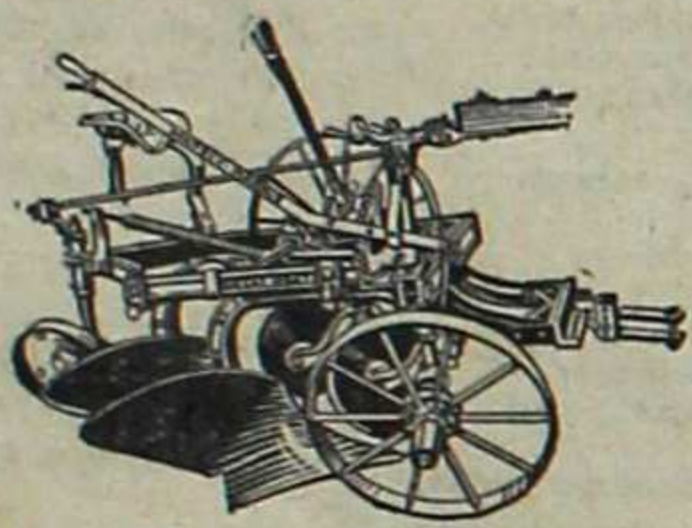
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Election Here Saturday

As was expected, the berry growers' meeting held in Gaisley hall last Saturday proved anything but a pink tea affair, proceedings being characterized throughout by protests of various kinds, determined efforts by opponents of the marketing scheme to talk out the meeting, and barrages of objections.

The credentials of several delegates were challenged, but only one objection allowed, resulting in acceptance of 22 delegates, of which number 10 were Japanese. L. H. Mallory, secretary of the B. C. Fruitgrowers' Association, occupied the chair, C. G. Evans, of Mission, acted as secretary. Districts represented were: Mt. Lehman, South Westminister, Queensboro, Agassiz, Pitt Meadows, Steveston, Hammond, Coghlan, Whonnock, Port Kells, Ruskin, Sardis, Armstrong, Ladner, Salmon Arm, and Abbotsford. Sixty other growers opposed to the Committee of Direction, were also present.

Nominations of grower-members of Committee of Direction were Messrs. Rankin and Cox (the present members), Hamilton and Storey. Two will be elected, and it was decided to hold a poll in all districts on Saturday next. Others named in the meeting for this office were W. J. Spraling, Haney, C. Metcalf, Hammond, H. Brown, Abbotsford, and R. E. Hamilton of Whonnock. (The local poll is to be opened in Weir's pharmacy, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., A. H. Horn, returning officer).

Recommendations for Chairman of the Committee of Direction were W. M. Manson and J. J. McPhee (one to be selected by the Minister of Agriculture).

Hon. W. Atkinson has since announced from Victoria that berries produced on the mainland will remain under the Produce Marketing Act, no matter the result of Saturday's ballot. Manson of Hatzic, last year's chairman, is likely to be re-appointed by the government.

Swail Hotel Now Stage Depot

Arrangements have been effected by J. C. Hessegrave, operator of the Sumas-Bellingham stages, to use the Swail hotel as a depot since the former premises were destroyed by fire. Full information of stage arrivals, etc. may be obtained by calling Sumas 557, and express parcels may be left at the hotel for transit to points south. The stage line will execute orders for any requirements at towns along the stage route for a small fee.

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WHIST DRIVE AND DANCE

IN THE ORANGE HALL

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, 1929

Matsqui Boys Win School
League Football Cup

The final game of the Riverside Football League was staged between Matsqui and Mission, on the Mission grounds on Thursday, the 11th, resulting in a score of 3-0 in favor of Matsqui.

The visitors accomplished another fine performance in over-coming Mission, their forwards were constantly menacing and both goal keepers were kept busy.

Scores of the three games are: first game, 2-0 against Mission; second, 1-0 against Mission; third game 3-0 against Mission. Mr. Topper was referee. Matsqui has won four out of six games played. The teams are: S. Sorenson, capt.; r.f. back; J. Virtue, g.; Stuart Thompson, l.f. back; G. Gillies, r.h.b.; E. Kerr, c.h.b.; G. Kempf, l.h.b.; W. McBeth, outside r.f.; H. Myhre, l.f.; K. Gillies, c.f.; G. Paterson, l.f.; R. Lancaster, o.f. Mission and Abbotsford teams will play for second position.

The cup will be presented to the winners on Friday, April 19, at the first annual track meet, to be held at Gifford fair grounds. The Matsqui boys have taken defeat only twice during the season, losing to Abbotsford each time. The next and last game

Girl Guides Present
Creditable Program

Indicating the prevailing public approval of the Girl Guides' movement in this district was the encouraging attendance at the concert given last evening in Gaisley hall by the girls and their instructors. A really creditable program was rendered, which included plays, dances, recitations, songs, music and ensemble displays by the troop. Individual parts were taken by Guides Connie Bolster (violin), Nina Wainwright (recitation), Eva Marcy (recitation), the program ending with the camp-fire chorus and "taps."

Chilliwack visitors were Mrs. Wilson, divisional commissioner of the Guides, Miss Barrick, captain of the Chilliwack and district patrol, and Miss English, "Brown Owl" of the Chilliwack Brownies. Mrs. Wilson urged formation of a Brownie troop here, from which to recruit Guides. At the conclusion the Chilliwack ladies were made presentations.

Mr. L. Collison of Vancouver spent the week-end here with his family.

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Mr. Carmichael has sold his stock and household effects to Mr. Jack Miner of Mission, having obtained a position with the Hudson's Bay Co., and has gone to Vancouver to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Seldon had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. McMorran and daughter, Joan, and Mrs. Duncan and daughter, Margaret.

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MATSQUI DISTRICT CHRONICLE

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in Transportation

THE old stage coach rumbled over the old Douglas Road from Vancouver to New Westminster, it clattered out of the Royal City and eventually travelled over the Cariboo trail into the interior. Many a grizzled prospector and miner who helped to develop British Columbia travelled by this means.

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MATSQUI

Misses Mary Nelson, Trya Carlson, and P. Brown, all of Vancouver, visited at the home of Mrs. E. Carlson over the week-end.

Mrs. J. Threlfall and Miss E. Bates were hostesses at bridge at the latter's home on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Beggs and daughter of Vancouver visited Mr. and Mrs. Menaul over the week-end.

Mr. Nelson of Alberta is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Hurum.

Miss E. Carlson gave a party at her home on Saturday. Bridge and dancing were events of the evening.

O. Olund is erecting a house for Mr. Thompson, Ridgevale.

The postponed annual track meet of Matsqui - Mission - Abbotsford high schools will be held at Gifford on Friday, when Matsqui football team will be presented with the league cup.

Mr. and Mrs. Norgaard and family were pleasantly surprised by friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson on the eve of their departure from Matsqui, and, on behalf of a number of friends was made a presentation by Mr. Myhre. Mr. and Mrs. Norgaard will reside at Aldergrove.

Miss Lily Ebbeson visited her aunt, Mrs. Anderson in Bellingham last week.

Mrs. D. Paterson and family of Gifford are not leaving the farm at present, as previously stated.

A Matsqui motorist was fined \$5 and costs for operating his car without a driver's license.

Mrs. A. Beaton of Matsqui, is a patient in the M.S.A. Hospital.

Mrs. Faulkner and Mrs. Farman were joint-hostesses at a miscellaneous shower at Mrs. Farman's home on Wednesday of last week, honoring Mrs. C. Greer. The guest of honor was before her marriage on April 8 Miss Hallie Fredrickson, daughter of Mr. H. Fredrickson, Matsqui.

The many useful gifts were presented in a large basket. The invited guests included Mrs. Greer, Mrs. Gustafson, Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. Flodin, Mrs. Wahlman, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Feil, Mrs. H. Fredrickson, Mrs. J. Fredrickson, Mrs. De Vries, Mrs. Hurum, Mrs. Carlson, Mrs. Sorenson, Mrs. Farman, Mrs. Moe, Mrs. Borg, Mrs. Faulkner, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Jacobson, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Hodgins, Mrs. Hougren, Mrs. M. Anderson, Mrs. Berner, and the Misses Casselman, Carlson, C. Flodin, P. Flodin, M. Fredrickson and Hurum.

"Judge" Grim, negro, was sentenced to 30 days in Oakalla on a vagrancy charge by Magistrate Bell in police court last week.

MATSQUI COUNCIL

Accounts were passed for payment as follows at the last regular meeting: R. A. Pelon \$277.80; D. McPhail \$3.00; E. White \$9.50; E. G. Phillips \$19.50; W. Stevenson \$9.00; L. Sinclair \$7.80;

A. Keay \$14.40; S. Keay \$16.20; S. Solomon \$14.00; A. Mockford \$28.00; C.G. Ferguson \$34.20; Jas. Towlan \$14.00; J. A. Gledhill \$35.00; W. Denny \$11.00; C. Gebhard \$7.20; R. Fletcher \$4.20; W. Hill-Tout \$44.20; T. H. Lehman \$7.00; E. Forbes \$39.15; J. S. Edge \$5.90; A. S. Karr \$32.40; R. Donaldson \$13.00; P. Edge \$7.70; D. R. Nicholson \$116.00; A. MacLean \$60.00; W. Satchell \$55.00; Jas. McDonald \$296.00; H. J. Cameron \$15.30; E. H. Prene \$5.40; McAskill Bros. \$10.50; L. Coghlan \$22.10; J. Gray \$3.35; T. F. Seldon \$55.55; W. H. Hudson \$17.50; Weir's Garage \$66.00; G. Mutch \$3.60; M. Bassani \$9.00; K. Frank \$10.80; R. Sibbald \$20.40; J. Inglis \$20.40; A. Whitson \$20.40; C. Nicholson \$52.10; H. Moorcroft \$52.20; G. Perley \$36.00; J. Murphy \$200.00; A. Conroy \$99.20; J. Lomas \$3780; P. R. Conroy \$125.80; R. Whitson \$7.20; J. Chamberlain \$7.20; H. Sjogren \$90.00; J. Olsen \$88.00; H.L. White \$108.60; H. Dineen \$18.00; Abbotsford Lumber Co. \$27.38; O. Fore \$33.00; G. A. Paterson \$3.25; Bungalow Garage \$71.21; H. Hurum \$1.65; R. Mundy \$2.76; C. Poignant \$146.00; J. McLennan \$7.20; H. Westberg \$5.40; McAskill Bros. \$10.50; J. Israel \$12.20; W. Israel \$12.20; F. Smith \$5.40; B. Nelson \$52.00; H. Borg \$150.00; Imperial Oil Ltd. \$10.80; Jas. Williams \$27.00.

Miss E. Thornton, former matron of the Ganges Hospital, has commenced her duties as the new matron of Mission hospital.

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